

JUST

Demands Agreed to by Castro

Bowen Cables the Fact to Washington

THIS AGREEMENT IS TAKEN TO MEAN

THAT VENEZUELA DOES COMPLY

With the Conditions Laid Down by the Powers as Preliminary to the Arbitration.

Washington, Dec. 31.—(Bulletin.)—President Castro has agreed to meet all the just demands of the foreign powers. He made this statement to Minister Bowen yesterday, who forwarded it to the state department this morning. The state department immediately transmitted it to the United States Ambassadors at the capitals of the countries interested. This agreement of President Castro is taken to mean that he practically complies with the conditions laid down by the Powers as preliminary to a reference of the Venezuelan dispute to the Hague court of arbitration. No further details of the agreement have been received by the department.

London, Dec. 31.—A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Willemstad, Curacao, dated yesterday, says:

"The Postmaster of Maracaibo Venezuela, having detailed correspondence belonging to German merchants, the German cruiser Falke threatens in consequence to bombard the town."

IN PERSON

Castro Directed Operations Against the Revolutionists.

Caracas, Monday, Dec. 29.—Barquisimeto, capital of the State of Lara, which for some time past has been in the possession of the Venezuelan revolutionists, has been recaptured by Government forces. The town of San Carlos and Tinaquillo have also been recaptured by the government.

The revolutionists at Barquisimeto were under command of Generals Solagie and Penaloza. They evacuated the town after losing 112 men killed and 325 wounded. There was hard fighting in the streets and suburbs of Barquisimeto for two days.

The government forces were commanded by General Ceferino Castillo. It now transpires that President Castro's recent visit to La Victoria was not of a social nature, as reported here, but for the purpose of conducting personally by telegraph the operation of his forces at Barquisimeto. This victory for the government appears to be a direct result of the President's initiative. It has been a most severe blow for the revolutionists.

President Castro is expected to reach Caracas tomorrow (Tuesday) at noon to confer with United States Minister Bowen called upon the President and communicated to him the recommendation that the issues between Venezuela and the allies be taken to the International Peace Court at The Hague. Venezuela's answer will be received tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock.

The victory gained by the government at Barquisimeto argues for President Castro's continuance in power.

DELAWARE MAN'S DEATH.

Delaware, Dec. 31.—Charles Slough, a popular Big Four engineer, 43 years of age, was found dead in his bed at his home in this city at a late hour yesterday morning. A natural gas stove, with the damper of the exhaust pipe turned off, told the tale.

OIL HIGHER

Toledo, O., Dec. 31.—The Standard today raised the price of crude oil in all fields 3 cents. The action is taken so it is said to increase the production until the supply equals the demand. The raise put North Lima at 1.15 and South Lima and Indiana at \$1.10.

LORENZ

Famous Vienna Bloodless Surgeon Leaves for Home But Says That He Will Return.

New York, Dec. 31.—When the Celtic pulled out this morning, he had on board Dr. Adolf Lorenz, the Viennese bloodless surgeon and Dr. Mueller, his assistant, both well satisfied with America and with the success of their work here. Dr. Lorenz said he would return to America in a short time and visit the cities which he missed in his tour just ended.

SLEPT 93 DAYS.

Centralia, Ill., Dec. 31.—Miss Dora Meek, who has slept 93 days, developed alarming symptoms Tuesday when, moaning and moving her hands as if in pain, she fell from her chair to the floor and lay as one dead. The doctor says her condition is due to exhaustion. It is not expected that she will live more than a few days. Miss Meek went to sleep September 28, following a quarrel with her sweetheart, and has not spoken a word since.

Catholic Church.

At St. Francis de Sales church services tomorrow will be held: Mass by Father O'Boylan at 5:30 a. m. Father Fitzpatrick will sing the complete mass at 9 a. m. There will be Benediction at 3 p. m. Tomorrow is a day of Obligation in the Catholic church. The musical program is published elsewhere in this paper.

CONDENSED NEWS.

The Battle Creek Adventist printing house burned; loss a half million.

A baby born Monday to Mrs. C. L. Tulen near Chester, N. Y., has a full set of teeth and long blackhair.

Three wrecks on the B. & O. blocked all branches leading into Cumberland, Md., last night. No one was hurt.

Chas. Albrecht's carriage factory at Milwaukee burned today; loss \$100,000. Six hurt.

Thousands are starving in New Guinea as a result of drought; some are eating bodies of those who died of starvation.

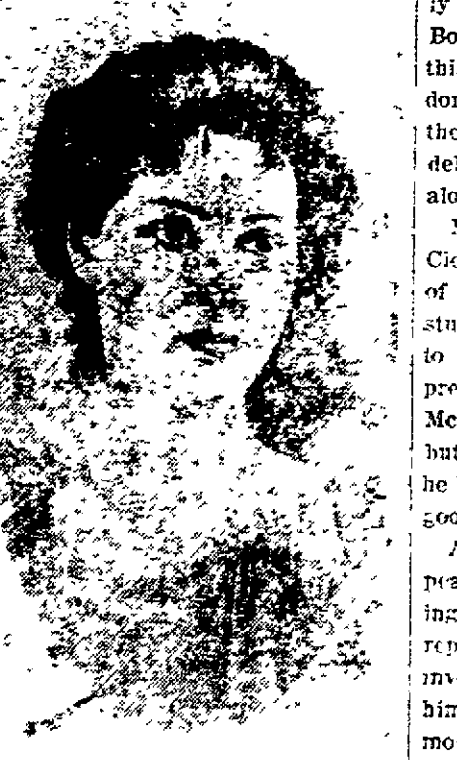
Just 2,360 minutes was the time taken by an ordinary cable message in going round the world from Boston via Vancouver and Australia.

A Swedish sculptor has solved the problem of eating statues in one piece.

Misses Grace and Mary entertained in a most charming manner at their beautiful suburban home Tuesday evening. Miss Mary is at home for her vacation from Wesleyan University. Those present were Misses Fulton, Conn, Locke, Gray, Boner, Sperry, Mrs. Shelton, Mrs. Perdew, and Musselman, Messrs. Kiener from Starling Medical College, Dorsey, O. S. J., Shelton, O. W. U., Fulton, Sperry, Boner and Musselman.

May Be a Duke's Bride.

Miss Pauline Astor, who British society gossip says is about to become engaged to the Duke of Roxburghe, is



the eldest daughter of William Waldorf Astor and one of the richest heiresses in the world.

GONE

Is Jeweler Tussing of Columbus

Receiver Named For His Creditors

WIFE IS GREATLY ALARMED BY THE NEWS.

BIG STOCK OF CHRISTMAS GOODS

Sold at Low Prices in Order to Realize Cash—Liabilities Are Perhaps \$40,000.

Columbus, O., Dec. 31.—W. S. Tussing, a well known jeweler and formerly active in politics, is missing from his home in this city. Tussing is well known in Newark. It is authoritatively stated that unless he returns in time to explain recent transactions a warrant will be sworn out for his arrest on various charges. In the meantime Judge Thompson of the United States Court, has appointed Mr. F. C. Hubbard as receiver, who will assume charge of his affairs for the benefit of the creditors. A hasty review of the situation shows that Tussing's debts amount to almost \$40,000 so far as heard from, while the assets are nominal.

Judge H. C. Hagerty and Attorney T. J. Keating returned from Cincinnati, last evening, where they called on Judge Thompson and laid the condition of affairs before him. On the showing they were able to make Judge Thompson at once directed the appointment of Mr. Hubbard as receiver. On their return Judge Hagerty reluctantly made known a few of the circumstances which surround Mr. Tussing's unexplained absence from the city.

"I can only say," said he, "that Mr. Tussing left the city without telling any of his friends of his intention, and he has not yet returned. In the meantime some of his creditors became alarmed, as the news of his absence was spread abroad, with no explanation of the reason. It was learned that he laid in an unusually large stock of holiday goods for his jewelry store and sold them at any price he could get, his sole desire, apparently, being to raise some cash. I do not know whether or not he has paid the wholesale firms from whom he obtained this stuff."

"As Mrs. Tussing knew nothing of the reason for his disappearance and was unfeignedly alarmed at it, his creditors thought it best to guard their interests. So far as we have been able to ascertain the condition of his affairs his liabilities amount to between \$30,000 and \$40,000. The only asset we can discover is a quantity of jewelry which has been pawned at various establishments in the city, and upon which he has been paying enormous rates of interest. Just what this will amount to after the interest has been paid and goods redeemed, I am unable to state. It is certain, however, that he is overwhelmingly bankrupt."

From other sources it was learned that among those who will lose heavily by the disappearance is Mr. Edward Born, the well known young brewer of this city. Mr. Born, with others, indorsed Tussing's notes for \$11,000 at the State Savings Bank. Tussing's indebtedness, as represented by notes alone, is said to reach almost \$27,000. Mr. John McCafferty the County Clerk, is said to be a loser in the sum of \$700, as he entrusted a diamond stud valued at that amount to Tussing to be reset as a ring. For some days previous to Tussing's disappearance, McCafferty tried to get the stone back, but failed. Tussing finally said that he had lost it, but would make the loss good.

A few days previous to his disappearance Tussing sold property belonging to his wife for \$4,500 cash. On his representation that he knew of a good investment Mrs. Tussing permitted him to take charge of this sum. Almost immediately afterward he disappeared, it is said, and has not been heard from since. Mrs. Tussing is almost frantic, as she is left penniless, with a young child to support.

The Ohio State Savings Bank is also facing a complication in this matter. Some time ago Tussing borrowed a large sum of money from the bank, giving as security notes signed by good indorsers, and for their security depositing with the bank a quantity of diamonds and other jewels. A few days ago he visited the bank and obtained from Mr. W. F. Burdell, President of the bank, permission to take those jewels to the Neil House, to exhibit them to a prospective customer. He never came back, and as the jewels were deposited with the bank to secure his indorsers a nice point of law may arise. The indorsers will, of course be forced to pay the sums due on the notes to the bank, but they may be able to hold the bank for the value of the collateral deposited.

Not long ago he reported to the police a robbery of his jewelry store at night by two negroes, armed with guns who were said to have held up his brother and taken a case of watches. Several arrests were made in this case, but no one was convicted.

NEWS

By Wire Boiled Down to Few Line Paragraphs.

Of 52 railroads operating in Ohio 21 paid dividends this year.

Court house at Marshall, Ill., burned today.

Standard Oil's advance netted Rockefeller \$2,400,000.

Fight to control Zanesville Commercial National Bank got into the court Tuesday.

Leonard Quint, 16, was found guilty at Columbus of murder in the first degree for killing Virgil Blake.

Bertillon measurement system will be used to prevent smuggling of Chinese.

Alex Graham Bell, who has it is believed, solved the problem of aerial navigation is busy perfecting his machine.

An unknown Pole starved to death in New York Tuesday. Just before dying he entered a restaurant faintly muttering "I'm hungry."

Methodists tonight at Springfield, Mass., formally announce completion of the Twentieth Century Thank offering of \$20,000,000.

Marconi says, in the future wireless messages will be flashed across the Atlantic at one cent a word. The cost of establishing transatlantic wireless service is less than \$200,000, while it costs \$1,000,000 to lay an Atlantic cable.

A surplus of \$72,222,151 has been accumulated by the Treasury department, during the past calendar year the total expenditures of the United States for the year just closing have been \$95,462,188, while the receipts have reached the sum of \$167,684,339. In round figures the expenses during 1902 have been \$18,000,000 more than in 1901.

Heir to Throne of Russia. Should the czar of Russia abdicate his throne, as has been so frequently rumored of late, the crown of the vast



empire would go to his only brother, the Grand Duke Michael, who is but twenty-four years of age. The czar has four children, but they are all girls. Michael inherited the strength of body of his father, being the most robust of his sons. Michael, like his brother Nicholas, the czar, is a man of liberal ideas.

CHOICE

Was Given Crown Princess

Of Going to Asylum or a Convent.

SPECIAL JUDGES ARE TO TRY THE DIVORCE CASE.

HER FATHER WAS GIVING TIME

For the Princess to Deliberate When She Decided to Elope—The King Is Very Ill.

Dresden, Dec. 31.—Prof. Churchmann of Leipzig, has been called here for consultation with the court physicians regarding the King's condition, which gives much concern to his family. Although diagnosed as influenza, His Majesty's condition has grown steadily worse during the last few days, due to excitement over the elopement of the Crown Princess, which, in connection with his great age and weakness, has had a depressing effect on the King's mental condition.

King George has appointed a special Court of seven Judges to try the suit for divorce which the Crown Princess has decided to institute against the Crown Princess. The King has announced the preparation of a full account of the elopement of the Crown Princess Louise for the Saxons. The scandal is undermining, according to some opinions, the people's loyalty and respect for the throne. The dynasty being Catholic and the people Protestant, the affair is being utilized for sectarian controversy.

The Crown Princess' own account of the immediate cause of her flight from Salsburg written to an intimate friend, presumably, the Princess Theresa, of Bavaria, was telegraphed from Munich yesterday. It says her father, the Grand Duke of Tuscany, intended to imprison his daughter either in a lunatic asylum or in an Italian convent. He had already consulted the court physician and several medical authorities at Vienna, with the object of obtaining certificates warranting him in shutting her up.

Her father, the Crown Princess adds was giving her time for deliberation. He demanded, first, that she be taken under guard to Dresden, to apologize to the Crown Prince, and that she choose then between confinement in a convent or a madhouse. The Crown Princess asks the Bavarian Court to use its influence with the Court at Dresden to permit her children to choose their vocation in life freely.

OFFICERS

Elected by the Master Horseshoers' Protective Association Followed by Installation Tuesday.

At a meeting of Local 199, Master Horseshoers' Association, of this city, held on Tuesday evening, there was a good attendance of the members, and considerable business of importance was transacted among which was the election of the following named officers:

President J. T. Murphy.
Vice Pres., Theodore Loewendick.
Rec. Sec., T. B. Mazzy.
Financial Sec., Wm. Turner.
Treasurer, T. J. Davis.
Sergeant-at-Arms, Leroy Leont.
Board of Directors, Theodore Loewendick, J. C. McGray, T. B. Mazzy, William Tanner, John Baird.

The officers were duly installed into their respective offices by State Organizer J. C. Ray of Columbus. The principal object of the meeting was to arrange for a new scale of prices, which was deemed necessary owing to the recent great advance in the price of coal. The new scale of prices was table effect on February 1. The rate will be \$1.50 for four new shoes, and there will be no change in the price of re-soles, the price being 80 cents for four shoes.

The annual loss of fruit by insects is by the United States entomologist at \$70,000,000.

GAS FLOW

Struck Within Two Miles of Hebron Wednesday—Million Foot Well in New Field.

Hebron, O., Dec. 31.—Columbus drillers struck a gas well today on the Dudley Taylor farm two and a half miles from Hebron near the Licking church, which produces 1,000,000 feet per day.

BELOW ZERO.

A cold snap struck Newark Tuesday night. During Tuesday the thermometer ranged about the freezing point, but late in the afternoon it began to turn colder rapidly until it struck the zero point and below. This morning from 4 to 5 o'clock thermometers in Newark ranged from 2 to 10 degrees below zero. The thermometer at the Central Fire department was 2 below zero at 6 o'clock, at Attorney C. W. Miller's it was 8 below, while the thermometer at the electric power house and other points registered as low as 10 below.

Second Presbyterian.

At a meeting of the session of the Second Presbyterian church, it was decided to issue a call on Wednesday night, for a congregational meeting, to vote on the proposition of extending a call to Rev. Waldo Cherry, who preached last Sunday.

DEATH

Of Mrs. M. J. Fairchild Who Had Been An Invalid For Past Eighteen Years.

Mrs. M. J. Fairchild died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. D. F. Showalter, 375 Granville street at 11.45 o'clock this morning of rheumatism of the heart, she having been an invalid for the past eighteen years. She was the widow of the late Rev. N. S. Fairchild who died in Valparaiso, Ind., 37 years ago, and was aged 72 years. Six children survive. They are H. H. Fairchild, Mrs. H. Z. Foster both of Valparaiso, Ind., Mrs. E. D. Harger, Butler, O., Mrs. T. C. Sheppard, Seattle, Wash., and Mrs. D. F. Showalter of this city. The remains will be taken to Valparaiso for interment.

Her Advantages.

"Why, the old man does n't know half so much wickedness as his daughters."

"Well, but he has never been to a fashionable boarding school"—Town Topics.

His Bad Break.

Flapper—Goodrick was pretty bad before he married, wasn't he?

Flapper—Yes, why?

Flapper—I hear he advertised for a rough the other day and added "other matrimony" from sheer force of habit.



that office is the real head of that great industrial organization. He is a native of Illinois and is fifty-six years old.

COAL

Famine Is Serious As Ever

Soft Coal Selling For \$9 a Ton

YEAR AGO THERE WAS PLENTY FOR \$2.50.

POOR PEOPLE ARE SUFFERING

Food and Fuel So High Many Have No Money Left For Rent—Deplorable Conditions.

The coal famine in Newark was caused Wednesday by the arrival of ten cars of soft coal. If it were not that natural gas is so generally used as fuel this supply would be quickly exhausted, but the dealers believe that they will now have less difficulty in securing coal shipments. There is no anthracite in town. A leading dealer told the Advocate Wednesday that he is selling coal at \$4.25 a ton but it is reported that some have asked \$4.75 a ton. The coal men do not look for prices much lower for some time.

New York, Dec. 31.—With the coal famine as serious in New York as it has been at any time since the strike commenced, dealers are predicting \$20 coal within a week. A severe cold snap or a heavy snowstorm would create a demand for coal that could not be met, and the result would be great suffering for the poor.

Anthracite coal sold yesterday for \$10.50 a ton and in some instances \$11 and \$12, with the prospects that it will go higher. Bituminous coal sold for \$9 a ton, while a year ago there was plenty at \$2.50.

While New York's normal demand runs from 35,000 to 50,000 tons of anthracite a day yesterday morning only 21,000 tons arrived. In the flurry of snow small consumers drained the yards where coal is sold by the part and lashed.

The coal operators are blaming the miners for the present extreme shortage, saying that the Christmas holiday they took has resulted in a vacation of three or four days. Fifteen per cent of the men are still out.

One hundred poor families in the Yorkville Police Court District who would have been homeless on New Year's Day have Justice Herman Joseph to thank for a New Year's Day spent under a roof. He appealed to the landlords who were to have dispossessed their unfortunate tenants today, and they agreed to permit the indigent tenants to remain in their homes until January 2, and many of them, touched by the picture of misery, and want Justice Joseph painted, said they would extend the time further.

Lawyer D. W. Blumenthal appeared for a majority of the erring tenants and showed that many of the men were out of work and had been unable to secure new employment. He said the cost of fuel and food was so high and the weather had been and still was so bad that fires had been absolutely necessary. He declared his clients had no money left for rent.

PERRYTON

Death of Peter Crabtree Early Wednesday Morning at the Age of 68.

Funeral Thursday.
Perryton, O., Dec. 31.—At 2 o'clock this morning Peter Crabtree one of the best known and most respected men of this community died at his home two miles west of Perryton after three weeks' illness. Mr. Crabtree who was a prominent farmer, member of the old school Baptist church and a well known Democrat, was 68 years of age. Besides his wife he leaves two daughters, Estia, who lives at home, and the wife of Dr. J. W. Hornby of Newark. One daughter, the wife of Mr. Albert Johnson, is dead. The funeral will take place Thursday at 10 o'clock when burial will take place at Pleasant Hill church.

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One valuable principle which the Venezuelan arbitration may settle is the exact length to which nations may go in collecting private debts due citizens. The subjection of all the inhabitants of a country to the cost in life and property of a war solely to collect a private debt has not been a doctrine of international law. Of course the Monroe doctrine need not be mentioned in this connection.

In the proclamation of the blockade of Venezuelan ports that of Coro was excepted. It is held by General Matos, the revolutionist. The surprise of Germany's aid to this rebel long ago passed into the stage of certainty. Now the advanced idea obtains that Germany's scheme was to install Matos in the presidency of Venezuela and have him turn the government over to the kaiser. Meanwhile the efficacy of the Monroe doctrine was to be tested.

Senator Hanna, Congressman Dick and Myron T. Herrick, Cleveland banker, are holding conferences to determine who shall be the Republican nominee for Governor. Both Dick and Herrick want the nomination, but Hanna will no doubt settle the matter for them, if the aspirants cannot settle it themselves. When Hanna decides there will be nothing for the delegates to the State Convention to do but to obey orders and ratify. This is what the Toledo Bee very properly pronounces imperialism in State politics.

Pittsburg Post: The spy whom General Funston hired to personate a friendly Filipino and hold Aguinaldo after sneaking upon him until the magnanimous and heroic Kansan arrived has just been imprisoned for life in Manila for murder. The blot upon the American army by thus exploiting treachery is now completed, and can be exhibited along with the act of that governor who hired a man to assassinate Jesse James. The characters of Aguinaldo and James are not involved, but the American method is.

AFTER CHEAP LABOR.

(Toledo Bee.)
T. Thomas Fortune, appointed by Secretary Shaw as special labor commissioner to the Philippine and Hawaiian islands, is at Honolulu, and in an interview he says the importation of negroes to the islands will solve the labor problem there.

The merchants and large employers of the Hawaiian islands and the Philippines are making desperate efforts to secure the enactment of legislation permitting the importation of Chinese labor. Attempts were made some time ago to bring Cubans and Porto Ricans into Hawaii, but they were not very successful. The gentlemen who are "in on the ground floor" in our new possessions are there to get rich and do it speedily. They want cheap labor. The natives that we are benevolently assimilating will have to work for about enough to keep their bodies in condition to work.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take Laxative Broom Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box.

THAT KANSAS LYNCHING.

(Pittsburg Post.)
That is amazing news that comes from bleeding Kansas. In the Sunflower state a mob strung up a negro to a telegraph pole, then cut his throat, and again hanged him. This Southern outrage was perpetrated upon the murderer of a policeman in a state that sends a solid Republican delegation to Congress and another one to its Legislature. Perhaps the mob was entirely constituted of past adherents of "Bloody Bridges" Walter, the Colorado governor, who left this state for good. But it would appear that his followers have helped swell the Republican monopoly which howls loudest against Southern outrages when women and not policemen are maltreated. Lynching is barbaric in any state.

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His Mistake.

The puzzled plebeian who is attempting his first meal on a railway dining car is obviously perplexed with the names of the different dishes.

After some study of the menu he says to the waiter:

"Bring me a plate of this alfalfa-dalfo."

"Beg pardon, suh," whispers the waiter, "but dat is de name er de calf, suh."—Chicago Tribune.

His Simple Plan.

"And you say he got rich selling meat tickets ten for a dollar? How was such a thing possible?"

"Oh, very simple. Nobody ever went back after the second meal."—Baltimore American.

A man's good work lives after him, but it isn't always identified.—Saturday Evening Post.

Woman Army Nurse Honored.

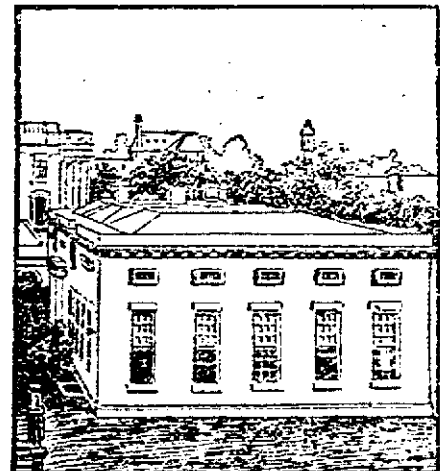
Miss Alice S. Kemmer, an army nurse in the Philippines, recently received the great honor of special mention and compliment in general orders. So far she is the only woman to be so



honored. Miss Kemmer, although she has never had the disease volunteered to nurse two smallpox patients. Miss Kemmer is a very handsome young woman, tall and blond. She has been with the army in Cuba and China.

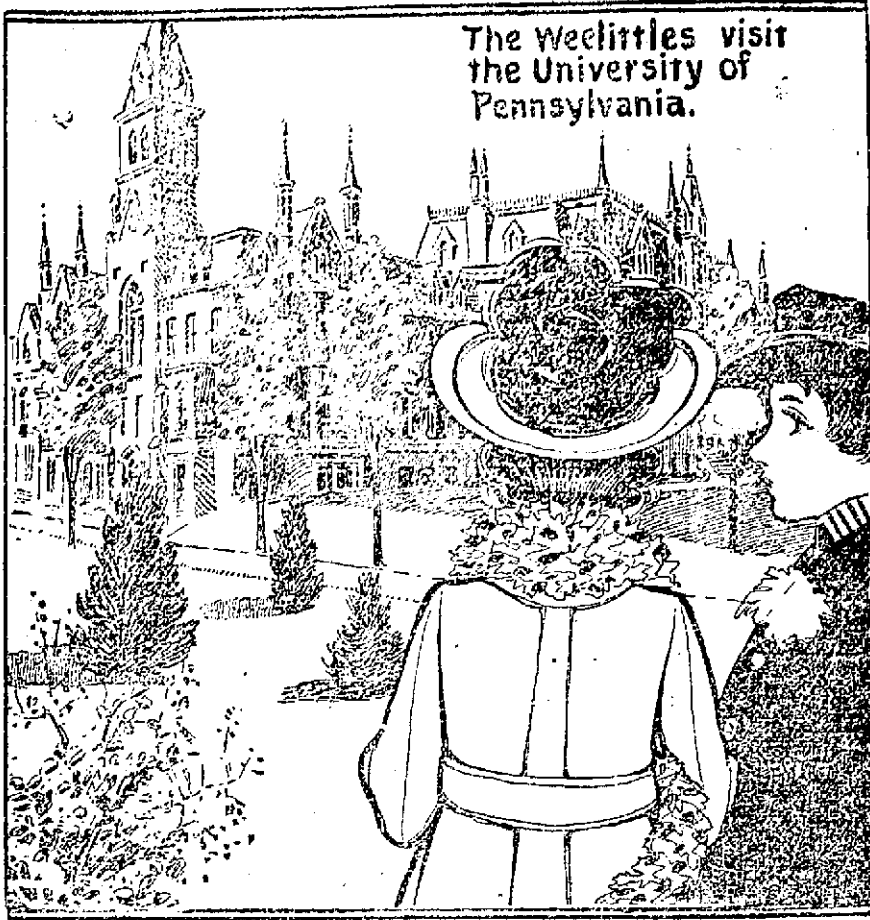
The President's New Office.

Some adverse comment has been made concerning the new building erected south of the executive mansion for the president's offices, the objection being made that neither in its



outlines nor general effect is it in keeping with the White House proper. The experts say this comment is ill advised, for when the grounds are rearranged the entire effect of the new and the old buildings will be most attractive and harmonious.

THE WEELITTLES IN PHILADELPHIA.



FIND A UNIVERSITY STUDENT.

THE SIZE OF ALASKA.

Low Measurements Which Show Its Enormous Area.

When it is said that Alaska has one-fifth the area of the whole United States, one begins to have a more intelligent conception of its size, for in a general way the average American readily forms a fairly accurate mental picture of the broad size relations of his country. But so great is the extent of the United States and so difficult is it to judge accurately of the relations of geographical measurements that even this is not a satisfactory comparison. For this reason our practical knowledge would not be much benefited were it stated that the area of Alaska is equal to that of 3 1/4 Californias or 10 Iowas or 12 1/2 Connecticut. But if it were possible to take the whole territory of Alaska and its adjoining islands and place them upon the portion of North America occupied by the United States it would be a simple thing to show exactly what the relations of these great possessions to our own country are.

A chart was prepared by Alfred H. Brooks, geologist of the United States geological survey, in charge of the government work of exploration and geological investigation of the territory, who has drawn upon the map of the United States an outline of Alaska. The scale used in both instances is the same, and the result is most interesting. When Point Barrow, the most northerly extremity of Alaska, is placed upon the Canadian border in northern Minnesota, Mount St. Elias falls near the Ohio river between western Kentucky and Indiana, and the main portion of the territory covers almost the entire area of the great plains and Mississippi valley as far south as Arkansas. The extreme southeasterly portion of the narrow strip of Alaska, upon which Sitka and Juneau are situated, would extend to the Atlantic ocean at Georgia, the celebrated Nome district would fall in western South Dakota near the Wyoming line, and the most westerly of the Aleutian island group would lie upon the Pacific coast line near Los Angeles, the intermediate island touching the Mexican border in Arizona and New Mexico.

In other words, the territory of Alaska is sufficient in geographical extent to reach from the Atlantic to the Pacific and from Canada to Mexico. Placed in this position on the United States, Alaska would cover, in whole or in part, twenty-three states and territories and the western third of Lake Superior.—George B. Hollister in Popular Science Monthly.

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Mrs. Hall Caine, wife of the distinguished author and dramatist, while in this country recently expressed her



self as warmly favoring the American method of bringing up children. Mrs. Caine is very pretty. She is a little woman, with brown hair and pink cheeks.

Appropriate.

"He calls the baby Coffee."
"What a name! What does he call it that for?"

"Because it keeps him awake nights."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Appearances Deceptive.

Tate—Appearances are not always to be trusted.
Brady—That's so. It's a mighty bright book that lives up to its cover.—Boston Transcript.

Austria was the first country to adopt the system of postal cards. This was in 1839.

One per cent of the population of India profess the Christian religion.

Official of Coal Strike Commission.
Edward A. Moseley, whom President Roosevelt appointed to serve as assistant recorder of the coal strike ar-



bitration commission, has been secretary of the interstate commerce commission since its organization. He is a native of Massachusetts and is fifty-six years old.

Excursion Notices.

THROUGH TO FLORIDA.

A Southern Trip Without Changing Cars.—The Florida Special through passenger service over the Pennsylvania lines via Cincinnati, Chattanooga, Atlanta and Macon to Jacksonville and St. Augustine will be resumed for the season on or about January 5th, 1903. On and after that date a drawing room sleeping car will leave Pittsburg week days at 8 a. m., central time, running to Jacksonville and St. Augustine, taking passengers through on the Florida Special, consisting of sleeping, dining and observation cars. By leaving Newark at 12:58 p. m. they may be in Chattanooga, Tenn. at 6:35 a. m., Rome, Georgia at 8:33 next morning, in Atlanta at 10:40 a. m., Macon at noon and Jacksonville or St. Augustine next evening without leaving the train. Returning from Florida and the South the through service via Cincinnati and the Pennsylvania Lines is equally convenient.

Details about it may be ascertained by consulting nearest ticket agent of the Pennsylvania Lines or by addressing District Passenger Agent L. B. Freeman, Columbus, O.

Excursion tickets will be sold December 24th, 25th and 31st, 1902, and January 1, 1903 via Pennsylvania lines account Christmas and New Year Holidays. Tickets will be good returning until January 2, 1903. Special rate tickets will also be sold for students and teachers of colleges, seminaries, and universities going home to spend the Holidays. For details about fares, time of trains, etc., call on or address J. L. Worth, ticket agent, Newark, O.

Through Pullman Tourist Car Service to California via the Missouri Pacific Railway and the Iron Mountain Route.

Via the Missouri Pacific Railway—From St. Louis and Kansas City to Colorado, Utah and the Pacific Coast, and from St. Louis to Texas, New Mexico, Arizona, and Southern California. Trains leave St. Louis Tuesday at 9:00 a. m.; Kansas City, Tuesday at 6:30 p. m., Wednesday at 6:30 p. m. and Friday at 6:30 p. m. Passengers for the Kansas City Tourist Cars leave St. Louis at 9:00 a. m. the same days.

Via Iron Mountain Route.—Trains leave St. Louis every Wednesday at 8:20 p. m.

Tourist Car Rates.—From St. Louis to San Francisco, via either route, \$6.00; St. Louis to Los Angeles, \$6.00; Kansas City to San Francisco, \$5.00; Kansas City to Los Angeles, \$5.00. Write agents for further information. H. C. Townsend, General Passenger and Ticket Agent, St. Louis.

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DOOLEY'S PHILOSOPHY.

Views of Finley P. Dunne, Humorist, "Chloroformed" by Capt.

"They may get me to the altar some day. The best I can do is to be like Cousin George, an' say 'I do' to the dearest woman in this block that I have me own troubles in doin' it. But, anny time ye hear iv me bein' drawn fr'm th' quite miseries an' exclusive discomforts iv single life ye may know they have caught me asleep an' chloroformed me.—Mr. Dooley's Philosophy."

Finley Peter Dunne, the exponent of Mr. Dooley, the philosopher of Archy road, was quietly married the other day at noon, says the New York American. His bride was Miss Margaret Abbott, whose beauty and talent created something of a sensation in Paris. She is a writer and an illustrator as well.

When a man's married, he's a married man. That's all ye can say about him. Iv coorse he thinks marriage is goin' to change th' whole current iv his bein', as Hogan says, but it doesn't. After he's been hooked up fr a few months he finds he was married before, even if he wasn't which is often th' case, d'ya mind. I first bride av his bosom was th' 'Vernick, an' it can't be put off Dooley's Views.

Following the wedding ceremony there was an informal breakfast, after which Mr. and Mrs. Dunne caught a train for the south. On their return Mr. Dunne will take up his permanent residence in New York.

Above all things, Hinnisay, a woman oughtn't to marry a janitor. A fine-walker, perhaps, a janitor-keeper. She can't be cross, or peevish, or any of jealous or frivolous, or anything else a woman ought to be at times fr fear it will get into th' ditch'n' iv biography an' shell go down to history as a certain A. terraygant. Hinnisay, is a woman whose heerd talkin' to her husband after they've been married a year.—Mr. Dooley's Deduction.

NEW MAIL BOX DEVICES.

Bell Will Ring in Postoffice When a Box Is Opened.

The Washington city postoffice, being under the same roof with the department to which it is responsible and under the scrutiny of the department officials, is regarded as a model office. Whenever any new device is proposed for the postal service it is first tried on the Washington office, says the New York Times.

With the beginning of the year a number of entirely new devices in postal business will be tested. One is a new mail box, which is said to be the most perfect arrangement yet made to keep tab on letter carriers and collectors. The boxes will be arranged on a regular route and numbered. Each will be connected by a wire with an annunciator board in the main office, and as the collector opens the box to take out the mail a bell will ring and an index on the board will tell the box that is open.

The electrical work on the new box is so fixed that if the collector fails to open a box there is a wire which prevents his opening the next box in the series, and the fact is also announced at the main office.

There is a third novelty in the new system. In each box there is to be hung on the inside a telephone transmitter and receiver, and if at any time the collector should need to communicate with his chief at the office he can do so, or the latter can tell from the annunciator just where he is and talk with him if necessary.

Swelling the Unsuccessful Ranks.

A great many men have been left behind because of their listlessness, their easy going ways. They were too slow. Opportunities would not wait for them. They would have taken advantage of them, would have succeeded, if the chance had not hurried by so fast. If the opportunities had tarried awhile, had given them a chance to look them over, and consult their friends or if they had only come back, these gentle people would now be on the heights instead of looking wistfully up from the foot of the mountain. But, alas, opportunities never return, and he who is not ready to seize them as they flit onward will have only regrets for his condition.

THREE SHORT TALES.

Modern Children Who Are in Touch With the Ways of the World.

A writer in the Outlook, after lavishing pity on the little children of the rich, who by modern educational methods, he avers, are made blasé before they reach their teens, continues:

Listen, you who are murmuring "old fogey" under your breath—listen to three short but pregnant tales:

Past the spectator's window one morning loitered two chubby little lads, their arms around each other's neck. The spectator thought to himself what a pretty picture of childish unsophistication they made. When they spoke, however, he caught his breath. "I won \$3 yesterday," remarked the younger of the two, who may possibly have been eight. "Honest? How?" demanded the other, big eyed. "Oh, my father and I bet on a race, and my horse won," was the nonchalant reply.

Before the spectator had fairly recovered from the staggering effect of this speech a group of little girls drew up before the house. One of the littles of them was in difficulties with her hair, which had been dressed in some occult feminine fashion beyond the spectator's power to describe, and had slipped its ribbon. As an older girl struggled to reduce it to order she said remonstratingly: "What makes you try to wear it this way, Gladys? It's much too short." The little tot turned on her a withering glance. "It's the fashion!" she exclaimed, with crushing finality.

To these disclosures of unblinking sophistication may be added the tale of a neighbor whose little boy is just six. He had hoped to keep the child unconscious that he is the heir of millions and had brought him up in the strictest simplicity. And yet the other night, as he climbed on his father's knee for a good night kiss, he electrified the father by demanding: "Papa, how much are you worth?"

HAD NO FAITH IN SIGNS.

He Was an Enemy of Superstition, With an Exception.

Mr. Holley looked at his grandson with a mixture of amusement and reproach on his shrewd old face. It was dusk in the barn, a time for confidences. "I dunno where in all the earth you got such notions, sonny," the old man said. "Not from your ma's folks or your pa's either. There never was any talk of belief in signs and superstitions in either the Holley or the Fawcett stock, that's sure. It must have come from that foreign lady they had to teach you, I expect."

"And you don't believe there's any harm in a bird's flying into the house or breaking a mirror or seeing a black cat, grandpa?" asked the little boy earnestly. "And don't you care whether a pin sticks straight up in the floor or which shoulder you see the moon over or whether you get anything on your wrong side out? Not any of those things?"

"All foolishness," said the old man, with a reassuring pat of the hot little hand. "I'm glad you've talked it out with me, sonny. Now, you just put it out of your head, and I'll tell you what I'll do. When we go up to the house, I'll give you a little old penny I've been saving for you for a lucky piece. You just carry it in your pocket all the time, change it from one suit of clothes to another, and see what it'll bring you."

"Do they really bring luck, grandpa?" asked the little boy.

"Course they do," said Mr. Holley firmly. "When we get another spare time, I'll relate to you a few cases that's come under my own eye of lives saved by 'em, and so forth. Course they do."



"The idea of calling a steamship a tramp."

"No word better fits the case." "Absurd! To think of a tramp needing water to get along on!"—Philadelphia North American.

Mrs. Leiter's chef

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The H-O Company

I made biscuits and cakes from Presto and they were delicious and light. No trouble with it at all. It certainly beats the old method and is much quicker, and that's what American people want. Dupont Circle, Washington, D. C., October 27, 1902. Alfred Schmitt, with Mrs. L. Z. Leiter.

What does your cook say?

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UNCLE ABSALOM'S WATCH MEETING

By Riley M. Fletcher Berry A NEW YEAR'S SKETCH

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AWD—a-wish-t-I had wings like No-yah's dove!
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"Den, Lawd, I'd fly straight up, so fas' en so hawd tell I crack de gates ob heaven open en walk down Ialle-luhah street! Dat de on'y kin' ob walk-in' fuh Absalom."

Uncle Absalom, twisted with rheumatism, swayed to and fro as he sat crooning and muttering to himself that sunny Florida Sunday afternoon in an old rocking chair at the edge of his little sweet potato patch. Aunt Hillary, Eucalyptus, his wife, washing dishes just inside the open doorway of the shanty, cast an eye in his direction occasionally to make sure that he was keeping the chickens out of the potato vines.

"Lawd—a-wish-t-I could pray like Dan-yul prayed," sang Uncle Absalom through the whole verse, adding: "I would pray so loud tell de debil mek a compellment tui run tuh de en's ob de yuth. O Lawd, gimme de ellenquich tui show dey wick'ness tuh de church!" A violent creaking of the old rocker and a more powerful groan from Absalom brought Aunt Hillary to the kitchen steps. "Wha' de mairah wid yo', Abs'lon? Ain' yo' dimnah done 'gread wid yo'?"

"I is dine presumptuously, Hillary Eucalyptus," replied Absalom solemnly, "but I hab dose cake walkahs so heavy on ma min' dat I blege tuh git on ma knees en."

"Hyuh, yo' Abs'lon!—Don' yo' go doin' any sich fool'sness! Yo' 'membahs de las' time yo' tuck tuh yo' knees yo' bruck up de bes' piece ob fuhnehuh in de Louse, en I ain' gwine hab no mo' sich 'pcedin's."

Uncle Absalom settled back painfully as she disappeared inside the doorway, and his shiny black forehead drew itself into deeper creases as he groaned to the sweet potato vines: "Hillary ain' like de yes' ob 'em. She am tuck wid de stylish ob de new preachah. He got de town walk on 'im. De Lawd luhb mussy! Oh, go, Gay-bri-yel; go blow yo' trumpet loud!"

Absalom hobbled to church that night on his two heavy, gnarled orange sticks. The evening announcement of the watch meeting for the older ones and the cake walk for the younger members of the church to be held simultaneously, the first at the church and the second at Masonic hall, on New Year's eve, was identical with that which had so distressed Uncle Absalom's mind at the morning service.

"I wants tuh mek a few remahks ob de subjeck ob de cake walk yo' hab 'nounce' long wid de watch meetin', Brothah Mulberry," he said. "De watch meetin', en de watch meetin' only, en de place fuh tuh spen' de las' min' ob de ole yeah en de fus' ob de nev. De cake walk am one ob de wuks ob de debil, en I ain' ben tuh one of 'em sence I wuz cunvuhed de las' time. De Lawd hab gib me tuh tell yo' all wha' de Bahble sez bouten hit. I hab heah'd 'im say. 'Oh, Abs'lon, ma son, ma son; tell 'em de lambs ain' got no btznss 'mixin' wid de ways ob de goats, fuh de goates pranch' en cuttin' up shall cas' 'em intuh outah dahkness.' He gimme de tes' fuh de fus' beginnin'."



UNCLE ABSALOM FELT THE INSPIRATION OF A PARTNER.

bb Gen'sis. Watch en pray, but Enoch walk wid Gawd, en he wuz not. Why? Fuh Gawd tuck 'im. Oh cou'se he did. En yo' all gwine de same way. "Hit jes' like Enoch wen he got up de walkin'. De Lawd come 'long, en he say, 'Enoch, wha' yo' gwine do?' 'I gwine git up a cake walk, Lawd.' De Lawd ain' say nothin' mo' tell w'en de sun strike up he say, 'Hyah, Enoch; I gwine walk wid yo'. De angels wuz playin' der golden harps, Gay-brel wuz soundin' his bawn, en Enoch wuz joyin' in his splendid en thinkin' ob professionalship gwine blong tuh 'im sash. Dey wuz walk down one way en sashay back, en dey had done, stahd down ag'in w'en dey der de bigges' kin' ob thurshid en lightnin'. De sun plun bein' rizin' en chokin' de angels, de harps en de haws wuz all con-jungle togethah, en Enoch—he wuz not, fuh Gawd tuck 'im. Do dat look like he 'prob ob de walkin'? 'Gawd tuck 'im, en yo' all gwine de same way."

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way. Anybody sich a fool ez tuh walk ag'in de Lawd, he bou' tuh be tuck." At 7 o'clock on New Year's eve Uncle Absalom hobbled to the watch meeting and up to the altar rail. Aunt Hillary was not to be seen. "I hab a call fuh de Lawd, broth'n en sistahs," he began, "en he hab said: 'Stay not in de house ob de richus, but go tuh de cake walk, oh, Abs'lon, ma son, ma son! Go pray in de mids' ob de sebbin debilis en de hawned beas'ses. Tuh dey habis tuh de wrath ob de Lawd.' And the 'eldah' hobbled slowly to the door, his face streaming with perspiration, praying and exhorting as he went.

"The cake walk was about to begin when Absalom entered Masonic hall and took his stand in the middle of it. The young people, remembering his fearful prophecies, spoke in awed tones as the old man, silent and motionless, waited for the last noisy straggler to hush and hear the further words of warning. Only the leader of the 'aw-chessy' dared to whisper when the 'eldah' began solemnly, 'He will stretch outen his lun' en destroy'—A wail from the fiddle cut off the words.

"Fust couple up de middle!" There was a sigh of relief, and the "Caww-fiel' Breakdown" set hands to patting and toes to tapping an accompaniment to the whirling music as the head couple started by Uncle Absalom.

"Woe unto yo'! Watch en pray," he cried, "en don' walk ag'in de Lawd!" His rheumatic old body shook with the power of his emotion. He reached for his Sunday handkerchief, hanging from an outer coat pocket, and one of his sticks flew from his trembling hands. The couple repressed him, and his body swayed violently. Then the tip of the second stick, firmly grasped, came down on the floor with a loud thump, and Absalom, keeping time with head and arms and stick, hobbled after the couple. "Remember Brothah Enoch en de walk ob de Lawd—de watch meetin' in the lines' den!"

"Secoon' couple fawwuds!" But Absalom, chanting, half breathless, "In de mids' ob volves wha' go yo' out fuh tuh see? De ri-chus-ness en wrath ob de Lawd!" started up and remained the only one on the floor, for the second couple refused to submit to the distraction the first had suffered.

"Yo' Abs'lon!" And Hillary Eucalyptus stood before him. But neither Absalom nor the music stopped. "Tek hoh ob ma ahm, Hillary, en see de glory ob de Lawd en ob Iz-rul!" And in terror lest he should fall, as he realized that he was using but one stick, and that in the air, to accentuate his language, she put her arm through his. Then her head straightened up, her body tilted back and her feet flew out as the music vibrated through her every fiber and muscle. Uncle Absalom felt the inspiration of a partner. His elbows cocked themselves at the most approved cake walk angle, and he took an extra step to the right. Aunt Hillary instinctively did the same.

"Tek de ole possum en coon ketch in yo' foot, Hillary," whispered Absalom. "Dey ain' none ob 'em kows dat step hyuh!" There was no rheumatism in Uncle Absalom's gait now, and he did not know that the orchestra, with extra zest, was playing at greater speed or that the hall was filled with giggling young folk. He and Hillary were far away on the old plantation walking every one down. "Ole marsh!" was there with "ole missus," and "young marsh!" himself was playing his violin for the whole band. Such stepping and "sashaying," such pigeon wings and scrapes and bows, the young generation in Masonic hall had never before seen, and the giggles, gradually silenced to the verge of dizziness by such an "exput" professional puff-blowing, ceased with admiration and envy. But Uncle Absalom and Aunt Hillary remained in the past, oblivious to all but the steps of the couples who succeeded them, until the grand march was over and the dissipated old year had gayly reced out with it.

"Numbah 2 wuz de big cake," called the master of ceremonies, and Absalom and Hillary stepped briskly up to receive it just as Preacher Mulberry, having dismissed the watch meeting, opened the door of Masonic hall. He gazed, petrified, at Absalom's jaunty air and Hillary's youthful simper. "Ole marsh and missus" suddenly vanished, but religion returned only half way.

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THE RAILWAYS

MR. LOREE DIDN'T SAY IT.

Recently a report was circulated in which President L. F. Loree of the Baltimore & Ohio, was made to say that the passenger business of the railroads was the "dress parade" feature. The story was a rather severe criticism of the passenger business as at present conducted. The current number of the Railway Age publishes a statement of which the following is an excerpt: "Mr. Loree has written as follows: 'I have your letters of December 11. The story has been told in so many forms that I have no doubt you are familiar with it, but I perhaps remember best that version which relates that a lawyer once in examing his client for not appearing in court to answer to a subpoena alleged some 39 reasons, of which the last was that his client was dead. If I say that the article referred to was a pure fabrication, and that I have never publicly expressed an opinion on the subject, perhaps the other 38 things I might say need not be said.'"

PROPOSED FIREMEN'S HOME.

A vote to be taken by the various lodges of the Brotherhood of Railway Firemen on the proposition for "the building and maintenance of a permanent home for disabled members, by means of the small contribution of 75 cents per member for the first year and 25 cents for each successive year. This matter will come up for early consideration, and it is understood will meet with hearty favor among the thousands of members in the brotherhood. The local lodges are strongly favorable to the scheme. The home, which has for some time been sustained near Chicago, largely through the personal influence of "Father" Coffin, is inadequate for the demands, and Mr. Coffin has made a strong appeal to the members for their support and co-operation in the enlargement and maintenance of this benevolent work.

LOCAL RAILWAY NOTES.

Brakeman Henry Dinninger, who has been off for some days on account of an injured foot, has recovered from his injury and will return to work tomorrow.

W. E. Edwards has taken service with the B. & O. as fireman and has been assigned to duty on the C. O. division.

Fireman H. M. Evans, who has been off duty for some time on account of trouble with his teeth, has been marked up for service, and will resume work tomorrow.

Engineer Able has been granted leave of absence for one trip.

Fireman S. T. Stickle is taking a rest for one round trip.

Brakeman G. W. Schultz has been marked up for service on the L. E. local.

Fireman L. C. Decrow has returned to work after a short absence.

Fireman Kreager, who has been off on account of sickness, will resume work tomorrow.

Engineer Wm. Hutton has been given leave of absence for a short time.

Engineer I. J. Shields, who has been off duty for some days with a sore eye, has reported for work.

Engineer Bloom is confined to his home 27 Poplar avenue, with fever.

Engineer J. S. Riley, after having been marked up for work, and will resume tomorrow.

Engineer L. M. Galbreath is taking a rest for one round trip.

Clark Walrath, a brakeman on the Fan Handle, with headquarters in Pittsburg, is visiting relatives in the city for a few days.

After having been off duty for some days, Engineer Barney Riley has been marked up for service.

Brakeman E. Wilson of the L. E. division, has returned to work after a few days leave of absence.

Pan Handle 888 had a new coach on its run yesterday.

Pan Handle Conductor J. B. Haines is at home today.

B. & O. Fireman W. A. Welsh is off duty on account of the sickness of his mother.

Brakeman Chester has been given a

few days leave of absence.

E. H. White has been appointed Superintendent of the Pennsylvania Lines at Pittsburg, vice W. C. Cushing, promoted.

After having been off duty for a short time, Brakeman Hukill has been marked up for service.

R. Oldham, an employe of the shops, is on the sick list.

Engineer John McGraw, has been marked up for service, after having been off duty for some time on account of sickness.

Engineer H. S. Hawkins, who has been sick for several days, is reported as rapidly recovering.

Brakeman D. E. Bland has returned to work, after having been off for some days.

Fireman Wm. Neibarger, who has been off on account of sickness, has recovered and returned to work.

Conductor Bash is now on the L. E. pickup.

Conductor J. Miller of the 97-98 run, has been given leave of absence for a few trips.

Engineer E. W. Shimmel is off duty on account of sickness.

Fireman Swank, who has been quite sick for some days, is reported as being considerably better.

Brakeman J. Stillions, after having been off for a time, has reported for duty on the C. O. division.

Engineer James Kelsey, who has been off on account of an injury, is reported as rapidly recovering, and will soon be able for work.

Brakeman E. C. Reed of the C. O. division, has reported for duty after having been off for a short time.

Engineer H. C. Johns, who has been sick for some time, has recovered and returned to work.

Conductor Funk has been marked up for service on the C. O. division, after an absence of a few days.

ESCAPADES OF A PRINCESS.

Incidents in the Career of Louise of Saxony.

The runaway Crown Princess Louise Antoinette of Saxony, who has just been found at a hotel in Geneva, has always failed to take her position as a royal personage seriously, says the New York American. Although her husband is a crown prince, she has at times indulged in caprices that, while innocent enough from the popular point of view, have shocked her royal relatives. Kaiser Wilhelm especially dislikes her.

Princess Louise of Tuscany and Prince Friedrich August, crown prince of Saxony, were married on Nov. 21, 1891, and have five children. She earned her title, "the fairest princess in Europe," by doing all sorts of unconventional things. She tells of one incident in a personal letter to a friend as follows:

"William was particularly long winded that evening and talked in the most transcendental style, just as if Uncle Albert and he had divided the earth, the sun, the moon and the stars between them and were lording it over the entire universe.

"I stood it for quite awhile, but when he referred to my father-in-law (who had just got my allowance docked for smoking one wee cigarette after dinner) as one of the greatest strategists that had ever lived, I raised my glass and cried 'Prost!' interrupting the kaiser in a yard long period."

For this the princess was never forgiven.

On another occasion Princess Louise shocked her royal relatives by peddling through the streets of Dresden on a bicycle in a pair of black silk tights cloaked with silver, only partially concealed by a pair of divided skirts.

The princess is the enthusiastic friend of childhood. She often stops her carriage in the street to kiss some bright-eyed boy or girl passing by and never drives out without a basket full of bonbons to distribute among her little friends.

In several of the big toy stores in Dresden and Leipzig she has standing accounts, and when a little one writes her for a plaything he is sure to receive it in short order. King Albert once said the wooden horses his niece gave away every year outnumbered Saxony's cavalry.

At Christmas time and other festive occasions each child Louise knows is entitled to three "wishes," and none was ever disappointed.

The children of the poor, too, receive in addition to toys of a less expensive grade, clothes or dresses, the latter from her highness' own establishment in the palace, for Louise is a fine needlewoman and cutter and employs from ten to fifteen seamstresses all the year round.

Professor R. L. Garner, who has devoted seventeen years to the study of monkey language, while visiting his son, Harry, L. Garner, at Baltimore said: "The entire vocabulary of the chimpanzee embraces about twenty-five to fifty words. During my researches I have learned ten of these words, so that I can understand them and make myself understood by them. In tone, pitch and modulation the sounds are within the compass of the human voice, but two of the sounds are much greater in volume than it is possible for the human lungs to reach."

"Eck," according to the professor, is monkey for "Look out," and "Cheny" means "Drink."

Brakeman Chester has been given a

ST. LOUISVILLE

Death of Newton Farmer's Infant Child—A Budget of Personal and Newsy Items.

St. Louisville, Ohio, Dec. 31—Miss Hattie Harris of Toledo is spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. E. E. Harris.

Miss Orel Bailey of Homer is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Ritter. Mr. Ciella Larason of Newark spent Wednesday with M. H. Larason and family.

Mrs. S. Sheffer and Miss Gertrude Scheffer spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Scheffer of Newark.

Mrs. G. W. Merriott, of Purity spent Wednesday with Clyde Merriott and family.

Mr. Charles Svans of Newark visited his sister, Mrs. A. F. Slater Friday. Mr. James Vance of Newark, spent Friday with his mother.

Mr. Baker of Newark, spent Thursday with his family here.

Mr. Earle Coad of Utica visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Amon Coad on Thursday.

Mrs. Clayton Brown of Newark, is spending a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hoffman.

Mrs. Frank McDaniel and daughter Madeline are visiting relatives in Martinsburg.

Mrs. George Sparks is spending a few days with her daughter Mrs. Will Speaks of Newark.

Mrs. Wm. Clarke has returned home after a week's visit with friends in Martinsburg.

Miss Mary Williams of Newark is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jay Porter.

Miss Ceila Edwards of Newark, is spending the holidays with her cousin Miss Goldie Haberty.

Searle Rouse, of Newark, spent last Thursday at home.

Misses Alma and May Hawke who are teaching near Granville are spending their vacation at home.

Miss Marie Larason is spending a few days in Newark the guest of Miss Oma Horton.

Miss Cora Bailey is quite ill with the grip at the home of Mr. Samuel Shank. Mr. and Mrs. Jay Clutter, Mark Edman and Miss Mabel Bell of Martinsburg, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sterritt.

Mr. Samuel Mossholder of Fallsburg spent Saturday and Sunday with D. W. McQueen and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Weekley and daughter Ethel of Newark, spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. David Mossholder.

Miss Margery Houser of Utica is visiting her cousin, Mr. George Weaver.

Mrs. Anne Lovell and Miss Burdelle Merriott of Purity spent a few days last week with Frank Dush and family.

Miss Ira Billman is visiting her sister Mrs. Coffman, of Newark.

Dr. and Mrs. L. L. Merriott spent Thursday and Friday in Hebron, the guests of Rev. T. N. Madden and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Teeters entertained Mr. and Mrs. Hissong of Butler a few days last week.

Miss Linda Horton of Newark, spent Christmas with her mother.

Mrs. Marshall Hagerty, Misses Besie and Goldie Hagerty and Mr. Leed Stout spent Christmas with Mr. Thomas Edwards and family east of Newark.

Dr. Corbett is quite ill with rheumatism at his home on Sugar street.

Miss Mona Wilson and brother of Newark are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Nancy Vance.

Wm. Hutchinson of Hanover visited relatives here a few days last week.

Miss Mary Bullock visited relatives in Columbus from Friday until Sunday.

HERE'S A POINTER.

Read it, it's Short, Sharp and to the Point.

Mrs. L. McFarland of No. 40 1/2 South Second street, Newark, O., says: "Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills are a fine nerve tonic. They make ones nerves strong and steady—their sleep natural and their strength good where one's weak, nervous and sleepless. The Nerve Pills are just the thing and I shall keep Mr. Bricker of the City Drug store in mind should I need more."

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We wish to thank those who have helped to make our last year's business satisfactory. We acknowledge appreciation and extend to our patrons the sincerest wish that the coming year may be one of happiness and prosperity.

Our aim has been to conduct a drug store that should conserve in every way the best interests of the public. The accomplishment of this purpose has been made possible by the steadfast adherence of those to whom this greeting is extended.

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If you have aches and pains in bones, back and joints, itching, scaly skin, blood feels hot, swollen glands, itching and stinging on the skin, itchy patches in mouth, sore throat, pimples, copper-colored spots, all run-down, itchy on any part of the body, itchy or itchy on falling out, take **Botanic Blood Balm**, guaranteed to cure the worst and most deep-seated cases. Itchy all over, stops all aches and pains, reduces all swellings, makes blood pure and rich, completely changing the body into a healthy condition. **Old Rheumatism, Catarrh, Eczema, Scrofula**, are caused by Poison in the blood. B.B.B. stops itching and stinging, itching and stinging; cures Rheumatism, Catarrh, Eczema, Scrofula, Eruptions, Watery Blisters, by giving pure, healthy blood to affected parts.

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HUNTING CARIBOU.

One, Shot Through the Heart, Ran Two Hundred Yards.

The caribou is very tenacious of life, says S. W. Watts in Collier's Weekly, writing about hunting these animals in Newfoundland. My companion used a 30.40 Winchester and the writer used an S. M. Winchester. With such strong guns we were seldom able to stop a big stag with a single shot, even when hit in a vital spot. One that the writer shot through the heart ran with the rest of the drove for 200 yards, as though he had not been touched, before collapsing. When we opened him, he had only one bullet hole and his heart was cut in two. Another went about the same distance on the jump with both fore shoulders broken and a bullet through the neck. On several other occasions the stags when hit went off with such strength that when they fell they dug their antlers in the ground and turned complete somersaults.

The first caribou we killed was a fawn. We picked him out because we wanted meat, and, being young, we thought he ought to be tender. In fact, however, his meat was almost useless—lean, tough, stringy and very dark in color. This was difficult to understand, and the guides, for some reason, were unable to offer an explanation. However, I learned the reason later. It appears that during the mating season the fawns are weaned. The old stag, driving the fawn away from the mother, will strike him with his horns and chase him half a mile. As soon as the stag gives up the chase and turns back to the doe the fawn will return; then the stag will chase him again. This is kept up for eight or ten days, with the result that from violent exercise and change of diet the meat of the fawn becomes for a time unpalatable.

THE APOSTLES.

Emblems Restored Upon Them by the Medieval Artists.

The medieval artists, having no idea of the personal appearance of the Saviour's followers, adopted a set of signs, or emblems, for each, which soon became familiar to all. The emblem of Peter was either a large key or two keys crossed, which is readily explained by referring to the words of Christ (Matthew xvi, 19), "And I will give unto thee the keys of the kingdom of heaven." The emblem of Paul was a sword and a book—the latter to remind the beholder that he was a teacher of men, the former to indicate that he was beheaded with a sword. St. Andrew was usually figured standing by a cross shaped like a letter X, that being the form of the cross upon which legend says he was crucified. The emblem of St. James the Great was either a sword, referring to the fact that he was also beheaded, or a pilgrim's staff, he being a great traveler.

St. John's emblem was a caldron, referring to his experience in the boiling oil. St. Philip's emblem is an enigma. It was a spear and a cross, yet it is known that he was hanged. St. Bartholomew, who was "flayed alive," is represented with a knife and his skin hanging over his arm. Matthew's emblem is a square, supposed to have some reference to Christ's calling. St. Thomas, having been "pierced with a dart," is pictured carrying a spear. The emblem of James the Less was a club, he having been "beaten to death with a faggot." St. Matthias an ax, he having been beheaded. Simon's emblem was a saw. The legend says "he was sawn asunder."

Courtesy Among the Swedes.

The Swedes are a quiet, taciturn people. There is no jostling even among the lowest classes. When a train leaves a platform or a steamerboard a pier, the lookers on lift their hats to the departing passengers and bow to them, a compliment which is returned by the passengers. You are expected to lift your hat to the shabbiest person you meet in the street, and to enter a shop, office or bank with the hat on is considered a bad breach of good manners. In retiring from a restaurant you are expected to bow to the occupants. Bowing and hat lifting are so common that the people seem to move around more slowly than elsewhere in order to observe the courtesy.

It is reported that the National Association of Stationary Engineers has adopted by a vote almost unanimous, an amendment to its constitution debaring negroes from membership.

THE PILGRIMS' FIRST NEW YEAR'S

By Charles N. Lurie

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ON Jan. 1, 1621, the sun rose. It shone at all on that day on the bleak New England coast, on a scene of misery on the spot where the pilgrim fathers and mothers had landed three weeks before. The little company of seekers for religious freedom had left Plymouth, England, in September, at a season of the year when the fields of the mother country still present an inviting aspect, and the contrast between the green downs and the "stern and rock-bound coast" almost appalled them. Nevertheless the weary travelers landed, and on Christmas day the beginning of "the first house, for common use, to receive them and their goods," was made. Before the coming of the new year the land had been parceled out and some of the stronger spirits had begun their houses. It was not until the middle of January that all of the company left the Mayflower for the land.

In the meantime the rigors of the winter in the new land had been experienced. Before the wet spring had passed and summer had come to gladden the land one-half of the settlers were laid away in the frozen ground. Yet when the Mayflower sailed to England in April not one of the colonists returned to face the intolerance at home, so strong was the spirit of these men and women.

To these stern old religionists everything in the nature of festivity was an abomination, and it is not strange to find no mention of any observance of the beginning of the new year. Indeed, at that time among Englishmen at large Jan. 1 was scarcely recognized as the beginning of a new era, that burying their dead, distinction being given then and for many years after to March 25, the day of the Annunciation, or Lady day. Not until 1752 did Jan. 1 become the initial day of the legal year. Before that time it was customary to set down dates from Jan. 1 to March 24, inclusive, thus: Jan. 15, 1620-1, signifying that popularly the year was 1621, but legally 1620. In this, as in all other things, the pilgrim fathers followed the English custom.

Instead of the celebration of New Year's day or of any other holiday we find such entries as "Jan. 20, dies Rose, the wife of Captain Standish." Sickness and death were induced by the privation and exposure incident to the season and the lack of strong, well built dwellings. Wading through the icy water from the ship to the shore, bearing the scanty building materials and the still more scanty supply of food, proved fatal to the men, while the mental anxiety and lack of suitable provisions carried off the women and children.

Not only were the pilgrim fathers stricken by the lack of suitable shelter, but the scantiness and coarseness of their food supply during that long and terrible first winter proved disastrous to the little colony. Partial starvation was added to the other terrors of the settlers, many of whom had been delicately nurtured in England.

One affliction was spared the pilgrims during the terrible winter days that preceded and followed New Year's day, 1621—there was no trouble, as had been dreaded, with the Indians. It has been said of the "fathers" that immediately after landing "they fell first upon their knees and then upon the aborigines." So far from this being the case, it is pathetically noted that "that winter they had to form seven times more graves for the dead than habitations for the living." They were buried on the bank not far from the landing—a spot still to be venerated—and, lest the Indians should take courage to attack the survivors from their weakened state, the soil which covered the graves of their beloved relatives was carefully beaten down and planted with a crop of corn.

By March 25, 1621, the first real New Year's day in the Plymouth colony, the surviving moiety of the colonists had decided to remain in New England rather than go back on the Mayflower. On that day they assembled for the transaction of public business, passed some simple laws for the government of the colony and re-elected John Carver governor. He had been chosen the previous year aboard ship. During the disembarkation Governor Carver's wife had been drowned, and his son perished early in the winter. He himself governed the colony only a few weeks more, dying April 5. He was succeeded by William Bradford.

James Richard Green, the eminent English historian, in his "History of the English People," says of the pilgrim fathers and their sufferings during the first winter in the new world: "In 1620 the little company of the pilgrim fathers, as afterwards loved to call them, landed on the barren coast

of Massachusetts at a spot to which they gave the name of Plymouth, in memory of the last English port at which they touched. They had soon to face the long, hard winter of the north, to bear sickness and famine. Even when these years of toil and suffering had passed there was a time when they knew not at night where to have a bite in the morning." Resolute and industrious as they were their progress was very slow, and at the end of ten years they numbered only 300 souls. But small as it was the colony was now firmly established and the struggle for mere existence was over. "Let it not be grievous unto you," some of their brethren had written from England to the poor emigrants in the midst of their sufferings, "that you have been instrumental to break the ice for others. The honor shall be yours to the world's end."

JOHANNES' UNIQUE NEW YEAR'S CARD

In the department of the humors of New Year's day must be placed the card sent abroad by Johannes Seiden-schwanz, grocer boy.

Johannes was a rawboned, innocent faced youth who distributed cabbage, kerosene and other delicacies among the customers of Sebastian Schweinfurth, grocer, Johannes, called "Honey" for short, had not been in this country very long; therefore he was proud of his skill in writing and speaking the English language. His task it was at noon and noon and every day to take upon his shoulder a basket of grocery goods at which a horse might look sick and shake its head and carry the same hither and thither to persons who lived in the sixteenth story, more or less, of skyscraper apartment houses. It was his wont to whistle up the dumb waiter shaft and immediately send the potatoes and sauerkraut bowling merrily upward after the whistle. He was good natured; he was strong as an ox; he was also as lacking in the divine sense of humor as an ox.

Three-fourths of those to whose kitchens Honey delivered onions and molasses never had seen, never would see, him in bodily presence, yet toward them he had the warmest good will, in which respect he was an example to all. Though they knew him not, he knew them, and he sent them a joint stock New Year's card. It cost possibly 2 cents. Its ground tint was the "greenery gallery" which is expressive of the highest art in color scheming. Upon this basis of greenery gallery revieled in glorious profusion daffydownadillies of a radiant yellow that had no suggestion of green. The green, however, was provided for in several leaves borrowed pro tem. from the iosebush and painted fast to the daffodil stems as though they grew there.

Honey, grocer boy though he was, only a distributor of soap and mackerel, who worked for \$4 a week and found himself, was soulful. His sentiment showed in the card's printed motto, which, in gilt letters upon the green yellow background read, "Heart's Greetings."

Inside the card was the usual benediction, "With Kindest Remembrances



IT SHOWS THAT CARD WITH THE CHEESE AND GALLIC.

and Best Wishes for a Happy New Year." Then Honey added a touch of his own in his own handwriting, and it was as follows:

To All My Customers,
J. SEIDENSCHWANZ.
Please and Return This Card Back.

The request for return was a device to save expense. Up shot that card with the cheese and garlic wherever Honey went on New Year's eve. Back it went in the basket down the dumb waiter shaft, usually with a dime or nickel upon its face. Such New Year's wishes were well worth the dime or nickel. At length it bowed skyward once too often. It ascended, nestling between a squash and a side of codfish, but it returned no more. A silver quarter lay in the basket when it went back, but no bit of green yellow card. That was a New Year's souvenir too precious for the conscienceless last recipient to part with. J. VAUGHN.

SERVICES

At St. Francis de Sales Church on New Years Day—A Special Program of Music.

The following is the program for the special services at the St. Francis de Sales church on New Year's day:

High Mass at 9 a. m.
The choir under direction of Mr. Meyer will render the following music: Ave Maria, Schubert, Miss Zoe Fulton. Violin obligato, Mr. Meyer.
Kyrie, Farmers.
Gloria, Farmers.
Credo, Giorza.
Offertory will be sung by Mrs. Walter Cooney of Lima, O.
Sanctus, Giorza.
Agnus Dei, La Hache.
Adeste Fideles.
Benediction at 3 p. m.

APPLETON

Marriage of Miss Hall and Mr. McClintock—Christmas at Mr. Shipley's—Personals.

Appleton, Ohio, Dec. 31—Invitations are out announcing the marriage of Miss Stella Hall to Mr. Hallie McClintock to take place New Year's day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hall. Joseph Dumbauld of this place, and his brother, Fred, of Emporia, Kansas, visited friends in Perry county this week.

Thomas Watson, who was reported on the sick list, is convalescing.

F. M. Shipley and wife Sundayed with Mr. and Mrs. Peck near Concord.

As is the usual custom on Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shipley arranged for their children to come home on that day to share with them in the festivities. Their children are as follows: Willis M. of Appleton, Josiah C., Elmer E., Martha E. Ship of Johnstown, Miles Marion of Utica, Zoia Zelma Bowman of Alexandria, all being present with their families, excepting the latter. Grandma Shipp, Grandma Simmons, Chas. Bowman, Charles and Jessie Peasley, Charles Bell, wife and daughter, Pansy Marie, were also present. At high noon all were invited around the festal board.

John Overturf of Elk Creek, Neb., visited friends a few days last week. Mr. Overturf is a grandson of Dr. Sheldon, who practiced medicine here many years ago, and living on the premises now owned by Delano Shaffer.

Miss Iva and Arthur Shipley planned a complete surprise on their parents last Saturday by inviting their friends and neighbors in. Early in the day they began to come in by the sled load, but Mr. and Mrs. did not realize their situation until some one revealed the fact that twentyone years ago the words were said that made them one. After the 43 present had satisfied the inner longings, all repaired to the room where the remainder of the day was spent in social conversation, with music.

W. W. Simmons of Columbus visited his mother east of town the first of the week.

Don Fry of West Church street, Newark, spent Christmas with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Derow.

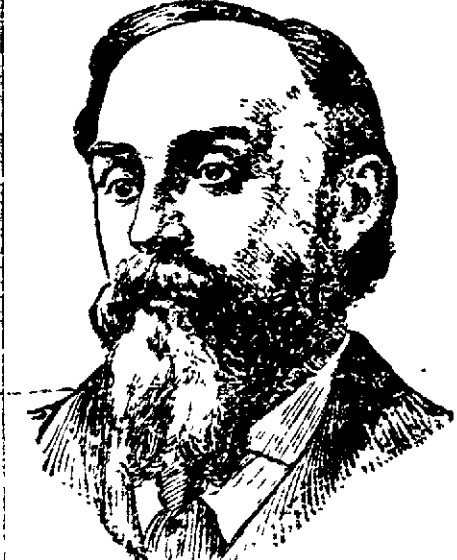
Albert Hoover, who is attending school at Ada, is spending a two weeks vacation, at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Hoover.

Rolla Derow is visiting friends in the county seat this week.

Clyde Myers of this place, called on Guy Pratt of Johnstown Friday.

To Seek the South Pole.

William S. Bruce, head of the Scotch south polar expedition, which recently sailed from Tromsø, has had no little experience in arctic and antarctic exploring. He sailed as naturalist with an antarctic expedition which went from



Dundee in 1892. He also accompanied the Jackson-Harmsworth polar expedition and the Prince of Monaco's expedition to Spitzbergen. Altogether four voyages have been made to the arctic regions by him since 1890.

MANY RELIABLE WITNESSES

Prove That Old Cases of Chronic Catarrh can be Cured.

A Medicine That Will Cure Cases of Catarrh of Long Standing Deserves a Very High Place in the Annals of Medical Discovery.

Such a Medicine is Peruna.

THOUSANDS of testimonials are pouring in every day of old cases of chronic catarrh that have resisted all treatment for years, being promptly and permanently cured by Peruna.

These reports do not all come from obscure places, signed by obscure people. A large proportion of these letters are written by men and women prominent in business and professional circles and many of them well known from ocean to ocean.

Colonel John Franklin Waters occupies a prominent position among the leading trial lawyers of Chicago. He has probably obtained more verdicts against corporations in suits for personal injuries than any man of his age in the United States, and during his practice of over fifteen years he has not lost a single case in the Supreme Courts of Illinois and Missouri. He is a hard worker and has the energy of four men.

For a number of years he had been afflicted with chronic catarrh and having recently been thoroughly cured of his old affection, an interview was obtained with him by one of our reporters in which he gave the following statement to the public:

CHICAGO, ILL., Aug. 6, 1900.

The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, O.: Gentlemen—It gives me great pleasure to testify to the merits of such a worthy remedy for catarrh as your Peruna. I had suffered for a number of years from this very disagreeable disease and had tried many so-called remedies, but until I used Peruna none had the desired effect. I feel that I am perfectly cured and can cheerfully recommend Peruna to any one suffering from catarrh.

JOHN F. WATERS,

120 E. Randolph St., Chicago, Ill.

Another case equally well-known in Chicago, is reported through a letter from a veteran Railroad man.



COLONEL JOHN FRANKLIN WATERS, OF CHICAGO.

Captain John H. Lyons, of Chicago, passenger agent for various railroad companies for the past twenty-four years, connected with the Postoffice Department for six years, the Police Department for six years, and at present connected with the Grand Trunk railroad, had a similar case. He is a

veteran soldier and a prominent member of G. A. R. Camp No. 102. Captain John H. Lyons, 1612 Prairie Ave., Chicago, Ill., writes:

"For twenty years I suffered with chronic catarrh but thanks to Peruna I am now entirely cured. "It affords me much pleasure to make a statement in behalf of your meritorious remedy, Peruna. I have used same for catarrh and have found it to be all you claim for it. I had suffered for twenty years. I cheerfully recommend to anyone suffering from catarrh to believe that, as in my case, it is a sure cure."—Captain John H. Lyons.

Address The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, Ohio, for instructions literature on catarrh.

PURITY

K. O. T. M. Oyster Supper a Success. Reported Wedding of Wesley Neibarger and Miss Bodie.

Purity, O., Dec. 31—The K. O. T. M. oyster supper here last Saturday night was a financial as well as a social success. A large crowd was present and consumed ten gallons of oysters and other edibles in proportion.

Invitations are out for a box social at James Harris' Tuesday night.

Bert Larkin gave one of his famous entertainments at the township hall Monday night.

Thompson & Mills Bros. are baling hay for Daniel Myers.

The funeral of the late Samuel Miles whose death was announced in last Friday's Advocate was held at Miles chapel Friday morning. Rev. Mr. Day conducted the services.

It is reported that Mr. Wesley Neibarger and Miss May Bodie, two well known and highly respected young people of this place, were quietly married Thursday evening, Dec. 25.

F. B. Freese of this place, who is working in Pittsburg, spent Christmas with his wife and son at the home of her parents in Newark.

Literary at Concord, Thursday night. Miss Mamie Tavenor who is attending school at St. Louisville, is spending the holiday vacation at home.

Misses Lizzie Elliott and Nella Elliott spent Christmas with friends in the Eastern part of the township. Samuel Scholler and Joe Thompson made a business trip to Newark, Saturday.



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Wireless Telegraph Station. The Marconi wireless telegraph station at Grace Bay, Cape Breton, N. S. was built by the Dominion government.

OBITUARY.

Hannah Elizabeth, daughter of Mahlon and Mary Ann Conard, was born near Johnstown, Ohio, August 18, 1836. On March 4, 1875 she was united in marriage to Robert Thomas, who preceded her to the spirit world August, 1899. At the age of nineteen she united with the Methodist Episcopal church, at Appleton, Ohio. Sept. 2, 1894 she went with her husband to the Baptist church at Johnstown, O.

The last year of her life was attended with much sickness and pain. After six weeks of intense suffering she passed away at 10 p. m. December 21, 1902, at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. J. Cada, aged 66 years, 4 months and 6 days.

During all her sickness she was patient. She frequently asked her friends to read a portion of the New Testament and pray with her.

As the end drew near she said, "It is all right. I am trusting in my Saviour."

Among the foreign born residents of the United States the mortality is the greatest in Irish and German and the least in the Polish.

The little folks love Dr. Wood's Great Peppermint Cure. Positive cure for croup, whooping cough, bronchitis, asthma.

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After January 1, 1903, all customers purchasing \$1.00 worth or more, in the

H. G. Dodd's 5 and 10c Store,

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will be entitled to ONE of the many 25 and 30 cent articles on their special display counter for 10c consisting of Granite, China and Glassware, and many other useful articles which will be kept on hands for the benefit of those who patronize this store. We take this plan in order to get the large articles in the hands of our customers.

We are here to stay and give the people the benefit of the bargains we get in the 5 and 10c business.

Remember the place—

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E. H. Slaughenaupt, Mgr. No. 7 West Side.

THE COURTS.

Assignment of Cases.

Tuesday's Advocate contained a new assignment of cases for hearing in the Common Pleas Court from January 5 to 16th, inclusive. Below is the assignment from January 19 to February 13, inclusive.

Jury Cases—Monday, Jan. 19.

9428, Honora Sullivan vs. the City of Newark. Smythe, Fultons.
11152, Joseph G. Welsh vs. George E. Wells. Smythes, Norpell, Hunter.
11190, Felix S. Stout vs. City of Newark. Smythe, J. B. Jones, Smythe.
11283, Belle Williams vs. Daniel H. Snyder. Kiblers, Hilliard, Howard, Smythe.

Tuesday, January 20.

1338, Lewis Evans vs. A. B. Jones etc. Hilliard, Smythe.
11538, Norton Crawford vs. F. A. Moran. Leamon, Smythes, Hunter.
11564, Newark Savings Bank vs. Henry J. Webb, Daugherty.
de styled Frank H. Morris vs. James hat mus blow to Tuesday, January 31.

Absalom Green vs. City of New

on his stick. J. Smythe, Fitzgibbon.
11565, Wait Clark vs. Addie Pratt et al. Leamon, Black.
11599, Mary J. Moore vs. Elma Moore. Smythes, Kibler, Hunter.
11717, Elma Moore vs. Mary J. Lingafelter. Huggins, Fulton, Swartz.
Thursday, January 22.
11727, Wm. B. Watson vs. Licking County Commissioners. Kiblers, Hunter, Fitzgibbon.
11741, Williams & Herdman vs. Geo. Hagmeier. Fultons, Stasel, Kibler.
11751, Chas. L. Gatton vs. Robert A. White. Smythes, Bolton.
11774, Albert C. Spurgeon vs. Amos Atwood et al. Kiblers, Daugherty, Hilliard, J. D. Jones.

Friday, January 23.

11778, Henry C. Werner Co. vs. J. F. Lingafelter. Huggins, Fulton, Swartz.
11787, Lucinda Martin vs. Augustus O. Kearns, Florys, James.
11793, Louisa E. Munch vs. John P. Camp. Norpell, Smythes.
11806, L. Newman & Son vs. Myer Bros. & Co. Fultons, Black.

Monday, January 26.

11719, Crescent Coal and Mining Co. vs. Newark Gas Light and Coke Co. Fultons, Hunter.
11737, J. Fred Winelan vs. Jewett Car Works. Smythe, Black.
11824, G. S. Pickett vs. Aden S. Howell. Davies, Bolton.

Tuesday, January 27.

11848, Jerome M. Gard vs. The B. & O. railroad Co. Howard, Kiblers.
11868, Thomas Sprice vs. C. L. Smith et al. Daugherty.
11881, Callie Dnaway vs. D. E. Thompson. Miller, Hunter.
11902, M. V. Mitchell Sons vs. City of Newark. Randolph, Smythes.

Wednesday, January 28.

11908, Daughtery Pierce etc. vs. C. M. Clark. Daugherty, Smythes.
11914, Benj. F. Cummings vs. The First National Bank. Kiblers, Norpell.
11917, Isaac Haines vs. Fred Hobart. James, Hunter.
11921, Wm. M. Cunningham vs. Ed H. Everett Co. Rosemond, Kiblers, Hunter.

Thursday, January 30.

11922, George Graves vs. J. C. Jones. Florys, Hunter, Daugherty.
11928, Edward H. Everett Co. vs. the German American Insurance Co. of N. Y. Hunter, Kiblers, Moony.
11929, Edward H. Everett vs. the Springfield Fire and Marine Insurance

Co. of Springfield, Mass. Hunter, Kiblers, Moony.

Friday, January 20.

11942, Edward H. Everett Co. vs. the Citizens Insurance Co. of Missouri. Hunter, Kiblers, Moony.
11951, Alice Guernsey vs. Adeline Guernsey. Kibler, Davies, Swartz.
11952, Mary A. Ellis vs. Everett Priest, constable. Hilliard, Norpell.
11956, J. C. Maylone vs. A. S. Clark. Stasel, Smythes.

MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS.

Tuesday, February 3.

11960, Frank H. Chism vs. The Col. B. L. & N. T. Co. Hunter, Florys, Kiblers.
11962, Joseph Gatton vs. Margaret E. Walton, James, Florys, Bolton, Smythes.

11963, Tillie Shaw vs. Stephen I. Priest, Smythes, Kiblers.

Wednesday, February 4.

11965, Laura Reed vs. Chas. E. Speer as executor. Hunter, Leamon.
11970, L. Hirschberg vs. Anna Handel, admrx. Florys, Smythes.

11974, Charles Johnson vs. Peter Wolf. Smythes.

11977, Mary Lingafelter vs. Wm. Wulfoop, constable. Smythes, Kiblers.

Thursday, February 5.

11989, M. J. Rees vs. Clarence L. Hall. Hilliard, Fitzgibbon.

12000, Ella Patterson admrx. vs. the Col. B. L. & N. T. Co. Tannehill, Kibler, Fitzgibbon.

12001, Kess R. Jones vs. Anna Sex, et al. Folletts, Howard.

12013, Douglas S. Drum vs. The P. C. C. & St. L. railroad Co. Tannehill, Dunbar & Sweeney.

Friday, February 6.

12015, Elsworth Connell vs. B. & O. railroad Co. Daugherty, Kiblers.

12017, Sophia Lofgreen vs. John Lofgreen. Smythes, Fitzgibbon.

12058, J. B. Shannon vs. Harvey G. Miller. Hilliard, Daugherty.

12062, John Wise vs. Hosmer C. Biggs. Fitzgibbon, Smythe.

12071, Eliza E. Queen vs. Thomas M. Jones. Florys, Smythes, Daugherty.

Monday, February 9.

12073, Edie Hatch vs. George W. Davidson. Leamon, Fultons.

12074, B. F. Painter vs. Wm. S. Henthorn. Fultons, Howard.

12077, J. A. Davis vs. James L. Lingafelter et al. Fitzgibbon, Smythes.

12079, Nathaniel Weekly vs. The Newark & Granville street railway Co. Smythes, Bolton, Black, Fitzgibbon.

12080, Stephen L. Vermillion vs. Horace Elkins et al. King, Smythes.

Tuesday, Feb. 10.

12083, Rachel Courson vs. Henry S. Irwin admr. Hunter, Kiblers.

12104, Harry A. Bailey et al. vs. H. G. Johnson et al. Black, Hilliard.

12117, Edward B. Moore vs. T. O. Donovan. Randolph, Bolton.

12118, A. Jordan vs. John Schrumm et al. Daugherty, Miller.

Wednesday, February 11.

12123, James G. Hughes, infant etc. vs. Anna Handel. Rees, Smythes.

12124, J. W. Patterson vs. the B. & O. railroad Co. Fitzgibbon, Kiblers.

12126, Hester Ann McMillen vs. Wm. P. Miller. Kiblers, Leamon.

12140, Mame Walker vs. George Hill. Kiblers, Hunter.

Thursday, February 12.

12143, Brandt G. Smythe vs. Arthur H. Smythe et al. Smythes, Kiblers.

12151, The Merchante Nat. Bank vs. The Jewett Car Co. Hunter, Black.

12158, Wm. I. Gutridge vs. Edward Hickel. Daugherty, J. B. Jones.

12163, Albert H. Jones vs. Henry Hill. J. H. Jones, Swartz.

12165, D. L. Van Fossen et al. vs. Lee Tippet, Leamon, Fitzgibbon, Hunter.

KNOCKED KEEPER DOWN

Jim Costley, a Young Negro, Arrested for Burglary Broke Out of Jail and Made His Escape Minus Hat and Coat Late Wednesday Morning.

A desperate and successful attempt to escape from the County Jail at 11:15 o'clock this morning by James Costley, a negro, who was arrested several days ago and bound over on a charge of burglarizing Stephens Rackel store on December 23. He was under a bond of \$500 and was awaiting the action of the grand jury, with another prisoner, Ernest Wolverton, under the same bond on the same charge.

Jailor Hollis Jamison related the story of the escape, which shows careful planning for a wholesale delivery, Costley the most desperate among the prisoners being selected to make the break, and "fix" the jailor.

Jamison early in the morning had let the prisoners out of their cells to clean the night buckets, and take an hour's exercise, and at the end of this time ordered them to their cells. There were five of them, Fred Steinmetz, awaiting trial for burglary of McGuire Crane & Company's store, Max McCann, serving 60 days for assault and battery, Costley, Ernest Wolverton and a prisoner named Murphy, who was doing ten days.

When ordered the prisoners returned to their cells and were locked in, but it seems that Wolverton and Costley had not gone into their cells. Jamison locked Costley's cell, satisfying himself that the negro was inside, by feeling the body of a man lying inside. It now develops that Murphy, to whom little attention was paid, as he was not there for any serious offense or for a long term, had gone into Costley's cell and covered himself with the negro's bedding, undoubtedly with a prearrangement, so that Costley and Wolverton were in the corridor probably concealed in the bath tub.

About 11 o'clock Jailor Jamison let McCann and Steinmetz out of their

cells to assist in scrubbing, and no sooner were they out than Costley sprang from around the corner armed with a club which formed a brace for his cell hammock. With this he made a murderous assault on Jamison, who received the blow on his left arm that was intended for his head. Jamison instantly grappled with the negro and with one accord the other prisoners started for the door leading to the outer hall.

The jailer realized that to overpowered Costley the other prisoners would escape, so he let go his hold and directed his attention to the others, whom he succeeded in safely locking up.

Costley ran through the hall, down the stairs to the first floor, into the jail office and jumped out the window and escaped along the canal bank without coat or hat. The police of Newark as well as other cities are now in possession of the fact of the escape and the latter were furnished a description, the Newark police being well acquainted with him.

Costley is a bad man, and is desperate. At one time he escaped from the Mansfield reformatory, in a daring manner.

This is nearly the last day of Sheriff Anderson's first term, which ends Sunday next and this is the first escape, and he feels chagrined at this one, but the nature of the circumstances preclude the possibility of any blame attaching to him or Mr. Jamison. The latter said that this morning was the first time in six months that he had been inside his cage door without a gun, but that he did not know Costley was not safely locked in his cell. During his scuffle with the negro he lost his keys which were thrown out of one of the cells after the prisoners had been locked up after Costley's dash for liberty.

THE WEELITTLES AT THE SPRINGS



At Mammoth Hot Springs she poses for a snapshot.

FIND TWO PHOTOGRAPHERS

Friday, February 13.

12179, Mary Crawford vs. H. C. Longwell admr. Kiblers, Swartz.

12205, Wm. M. Smoots vs. The B. & O. railroad Co. Florys, Kiblers.

12206, R. E. Schaub vs. H. C. Longwell admr. J. B. Jones, Swartz.

12207, Chemical Mfg. and Mining Co. vs. Henry S. Fleck et al. Fultons, Norpell.

12209, Magdalene Daugherty vs. Wm. Ridenour admr. J. B. Jones, Hunter.

COURT NOTES.

Squire B. Brady, Justice of the Peace of Liberty township, has filed his resignation with Clerk of Court Larason.

W. L. Fisk has been appointed administrator of the estate of Samuel Miles, deceased, of Mary Ann township. Bond \$4,000.

J. Milton Snelling has been appointed administrator of the estate of Mary ankinson, deceased. Bond \$400.

OPEN HOUSE—As was announced from the pulpit of the First Presbyterian church on Sunday morning, Rev. L. S. Boyce, the pastor, and Mrs. Boyce, will observe the old custom and will keep open house on New Year's day. They will be glad to have all the members of the church and congregation call at their home on Locust street tomorrow between the hours of 2 and 5 p. m. and 7 and 10 p. m.

Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney Trouble.

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased.

Kidney trouble has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if the urine scalds the flesh or if, when the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first step should be towards the treatment of these important organs. This unpleasant trouble is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as most people suppose.

Women as well as men are made miserable with kidney and bladder trouble, and both need the same great remedy. The mild and the immediate effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It is sold by druggists, in fifty-cent and one dollar sizes. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also pamphlet telling all about it, including many of the thousands of testimonial letters received from sufferers cured. In writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., be sure and mention this paper.

Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

OPEN HOUSE

AT THE NEWARK Y. M. C. A. NEW YEAR'S DAY.

Special Features for the Occasion Are Announced Below—Entertainment in the Evening.

The Y. M. C. A. will observe annual open house tomorrow from 2 to 7:30. The order of exercises will be as follows:

2 to 4:30—Informal program in the parlors.

4:30 to 6—Exercises in the Gymnasium.

6 to 7:30—The Reception committee will serve lunch to all who are in the building.

Special features that will add interest to the occasion will be the calendar exhibit in which nearly every business house in the city will be represented.

In the Parlor and Game Room will be exhibited a large collection of drawings by the school pupils. They will be left on exhibition over Saturday.

The Ping Pong tournament, for which the members have been registering, will be played off tomorrow afternoon.

The afternoon exercises are for men only, and all men are invited.

The entertainment in the evening by C. Edmund Neil, impersonator, and The Williamson Sisters Quartette is open to the public. This is an exceptionally strong attraction.

TODAY'S MARKETS.

(Advocate Telegram.)

Chicago, Dec. 31.—Today's closing: May wheat 76 1/4; corn 43; oats 33 3/4; pork \$17.35.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Dec. 31.—Cattle 17,000; strong; hogs 47,000, 10c lower; sheep 15,000, slow and dull.

East Liberty Live Stock.

(Advocate Telegram.)

East Liberty, Dec. 31.—Cattle: supply light, market steady at unchanged quotations.

Sheep: supply light; market steady at yesterday's quotations.

Hogs: receipts light, market active, prime heavies \$6.60@6.65; mediums \$6.60; heavy Yorkers \$6.50@6.55; light Yorkers \$6.60; pigs \$6.60; roughs \$5.00@6.25.

Newark Retail Prices.

Butter (country) 28
Butter (creamery) 33
Potatoes 75c
Eggs 27c

Today's Local Hay and Grain.

Hay, Timothy, per ton, \$13.00
Corn, per bushel, new 50c
Straw, per ton 5 50
Wheat, per bushel 70
Oats, new, per bushel, 35

Itching of the skin, horrible plague. Most everybody afflicted in one way or another. Only one safe, never failing cure. Doan's Ointment. At any drug store, 50c. mwf

GRANDPA ADAMS—J. W. Adams has just received the announcement of the arrival of a grandson, born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Turley of Covington, Ky., on December 28.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Items Picked Up Here and There Telling of Your Acquaintances Coming and Going.

Rev. G. R. Richards, of Toledo, is in the city.

Wm. Green of Patsakala, was in the city today.

Ossie Trost was in Columbus Tuesday.

Hugh E. Harrison of Utica, was in the city on Tuesday.

Ashford Mills of Hebron was in Newark Wednesday.

Miss Belle Baker is visiting friends in West Carlisle.

J. F. Seward of Peryton was in Newark Wednesday.

F. B. Sinsabaugh of St. Louisville, was in Newark Wednesday.

Jacob Shrader of Avondale was in Newark Wednesday.

H. W. Getz a prominent coal man of Chicago is here on business.

Clarence McLaughlin and W. Garber of Utica were in Newark Wednesday.

Fred Manson of Zanesville was in the city on Tuesday.

Milo Wilson went to Sardina today in the interest of the Fep factory.

R. F. Dorsey of Coshocton is in the city today.

J. H. Rogers of Hanover was in Newark Wednesday.

Miss Ruby Franklin will entertain the Alternate club Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. H. H. Griggs left for Cleveland today.

Clyde Conley of Mt. Vernon will be in Newark New Year's day.

J. R. Phillips and Alexander Siliman of Fredericktown, are in the city today.

Richard Thompson went to New Comerstown today to join the Night Watch dramatic company.

Miss Margaret Walrath is visiting in Hanover, the guest of her brother, Peter Walrath.

Mrs. Albert Stevens of Baltimore, is visiting in the city, the guest of Mrs. Nellie Francis.

Mrs. Frye and daughter Kathryn have returned home after a week's visit in Chicago, Ill.

Dr. Wiyiarch and wife have returned from a visit in the northern part of the state.

Mrs. Charles Walton of Valandigham street, who has been seriously ill for some days, is reported to be better.

Benjamin Holland, brick layer at the Mingo Junction steel plant was at his home in this city Tuesday.

August Muelerman went to Pittsburgh today to accept a position with a steel plant.

Dr. S. C. Priest, B. & O. Medical Examiner, is busy examining new applicants for the service.

Prof. Mac Mossman has returned from Columbus where he was visiting Rev. O. C. Wright and family for several days.

Father B. M. O'Boylan went to the County infirmary this morning to give communion to three Catholic inmates of that institution.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cooney of Lima, are visiting in the city, the guests of Mrs. Cooney's mother, Mrs. Rose Fitzgibbon.

Mrs. Anna Beard of Chicago, is visiting in the city, the guest of Mrs. E. J. Conley at her home on South Third street.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence F. Brown visited at the home of their parents Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Adams Sunday and Monday.

Rodney Brooke and Miss Helen Brooke of Coshocton came today to spend New Year's with their uncle, Dr. J. H. Brooke.

Mrs. George Roessel and brother, William Lisey of Kenawa, Ind., went to Coshocton to visit their sister, Mrs. Wm. Kipp, wife of the Pan Handle ticket agent of that place.

Mrs. J. C. Shigley and little daughters, Helen and Mabel, of Zanesville, are spending the holidays with her sister, Mrs. Frank Fink, at Newark—Zanesville Signal.

Master George McElroy and sister, Mary, have returned home, accompanied by their aunt, Mrs. M. J. Ferris of Columbus, after spending the holiday vacation in Cincinnati and Columbus.

Mrs. E. S. Dandy, of Omaha, Neb., who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Sutton, south of the city, for some time, left last night for her home, after having had a very pleasant visit.

Read Want Ads, page 6.

The Clouds Roll Away when you take Wright's Celery Tea

It makes nervous, depressed people, bright and cheerful, cures dyspepsia, headache, sleeplessness. It has all the medicinal properties of fresh celery combined with other curative agents. A most palatable beverage. 25c and 50c a box. At druggists or by mail.

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For Rent—New 6 room house opposite Car Works on Cambria street. Enquire of P. W. Brubaker, 46 State street. 12-29-01f

For Rent—New seven room house with all modern improvements near corner Fourth and Locust streets. Inquire of B. B. Jones, contractor. 12-30-01f

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Lord Balfour of Burleigh states that there are 1,400 prisoners per 100,000 of the population in Scotland, compared with 700 in Ireland and 500 in England.

The Caspian is a land-locked sea, 84 feet lower than the ocean.

MY. VERNON

Ingman-Krebs Wedding New Year's Eve—Kirkpatrick-Armentrout—Gas From New Field.

Mr. Vernon, O., Dec. 31—Mr. and Mrs. George J. Ingman went to Newark today, where they will attend the wedding of their niece, Miss Ina Ingman, and Mr. Charles Krebs, a mechanic at the Jewett Car Works. The ceremony will occur at 7 o'clock this evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orrin L. Ingman, on West Main street. Miss Grace Boyle of this city, will act as bridesmaid.

A pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. Albert Kirkpatrick, two miles south of North Liberty, on Tuesday evening, December 23, at eight o'clock. The contracting parties were Mr. Alfred F. Armentrout and Miss Blanche Kirkpatrick. The Rev. W. S. Chapman of Utica officiated.

The six inch line from the King Solomon well will be completed by this evening as far as the Coxe steel plant, where the product from the big well will first be utilized. It is said that the Knox county Oil & Gas Company will erect a large upright pipe at the end of the line as soon as the plant is reached and give a practical demonstration of the 800 pound pressure by lighting the gas and illuminating the whole city and furnishing light for the new year to see its way into Mt. Vernon.

BUILDERS' EXCHANGE.

Called meeting of the Builders' and Traders' Exchange Wednesday evening December 31, at 7:30 sharp, business of importance, by order of J. S. Dudley, President. 30-2t

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UNION STATION.

The young folks of Union Chapel gave quite an interesting program for Christmas eve. In the corner of the Church sat a large handsome Christmas tree, all decorated with pop corn, candles and beads of which the children's presents were placed on.

After the program was carried out, the children were given their candy and presents, by the names being called out and the young ladies' class distributed them.

Carl Price left for Texas on a business trip Saturday.

Frank T. Hillbrant and family have been confined to their home by sickness for the past three weeks, but are able to be out now. Chicken pox was the trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Amzi Larason will surrender their positions of superintendent and matron to Mr. and Mrs. Cephas Harter of Jacksontown, O., on January 1. We all wish Mr. and Mrs. Larason a kind farewell and a Happy New Year. We also wish Mr. and Mrs. Harter a Happy New Year in their new home.

Miss Leora Norris is spending her vacation at home.

Bryan-Horner.

Miss Luin Belle Stover, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Homer and Mr. Melvin J. Bryan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bryan of Frazeyburg were married Tuesday, Dec. 30, at high noon at the M. E. parsonage at Newark by Rev. Sparks as briefly announced Tuesday.

The bride was becoming dressed in white henrietta, the yoke of white satin and lace trimmings.

The contracting parties are well known and popular in Muskingum, Coshocton and Licking counties. A host of friends join in wishing them a long and prosperous life.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan left on the one o'clock train for a western trip of a week's duration.

It is a popular saying in Brazil that every ton of rubber from the upper Amazon costs two lives.

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NEW YEAR'S EVE

By Lord Tennyson



Ring out, wild bells, to the wild sky,
The dying cloud, the frosty light:
The year is dying in the night;
Ring out, wild bells, and let him die.

Ring out the old, ring in the new,
Ring, happy bells, across the snow:
The year is going, let him go;
Ring out the false, ring in the true.

Ring out the grief that saps the mind,
For those that here we see no more;
Ring out the feud of rich and poor,
Ring in redress to all mankind.

Ring out a slowly dying cause
And ancient forms of party strife;
Ring in the nobler modes of life,
With sweeter manners, purer laws.

Ring out the want, the care, the sin,
The faithless coldness of the times;
Ring out, ring out my mournful rhymes,
But ring the fuller minstrel in.

Ring out false pride in place and blood,
The civic slander and the spite;
Ring in the love of truth and right,
Ring in the common love of good.

Ring out old shapes of foul disease;
Ring out the narrowing lust of gold;
Ring out the thousand wars of old,
Ring in the thousand years of peace.

Ring in the valiant man and free,
The larger heart, the kindlier hand;
Ring out the darkness of the land,
Ring in the Christ that is to be.

GRANVILLE

New Year Calls to be Made this Year. Funeral of Miss Frederick.—College Town Notes.

Granville, O., Dec. 31.—The beautiful custom of receiving New Year's calls is to be revived here tomorrow. The young ladies of the village have made arrangements to receive the young gentlemen at their homes. Invitations have been sent out to the young men, and at each home the young ladies of the house will be assisted by two friends in receiving and doing the honors of the occasion.

Miss Jeanette Rowan of Columbus, is visiting friends in town during the holidays.

Henry Hardesty of Youngstown, who has been visiting here for the past week, returned home today.

Mr. Ned Roberts entertained his friends very delightfully at his home west of town on Monday evening. Games were indulged in and an evening of rare social pleasure was had. Refreshments were served during the evening.

Miss Ruth McKibben entertained her young lady friends in a most novel and charming manner on Tuesday evening at her home on Elm street, with a "Rag Time" party. The guests arrived at her home dressed in "Rag Time" costumes, and "Rag Time" games were the order of the evening. Dainty refreshments were served, and a very pleasant evening was had by all who were so fortunate as to be present.

Miss Mabel Butterfield will entertain with a New Year's party tonight, at her home on Burg street.

The funeral of Miss Ada Frederick, who died very suddenly at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Frederick, on the Welsh Hills road, about one mile northeast of the village on Monday morning of heart trouble, will take place from the home tomorrow at 1 o'clock, and interment will be made in the Welsh Hills cemetery.

Zinn-Bourne.

Tuesday evening at 8:30 a beautiful home wedding occurred at Mr. and Mrs. James Bourne's on Cedar street, when their charming and accomplished daughter, Miss Mamie Dell, was united in marriage to Mr. Gottlieb Zinn, a well known and popular finisher at Heisey's glass plant. Both are prominent in East Newark social and church circles.

Rev. J. B. Bovey was assisted in the service by Rev. O. C. Wright of Columbus.

After congratulations an elegant four course dinner was served Mr. and Mrs. Zinn were the recipients of many valuable and useful presents. They will reside with their friends when friends.

DEATH

Of Mrs. John Devore Occurred Saturday at Home of Son in Law in Des Moines.

Mrs. John Devore, who formerly lived at 312 North Fourth street, this city died Saturday evening at the home of her son-in-law, G. F. Richards in Des Moines, Iowa, after only two days' illness with pneumonia.

Rev. G. R. Richards another son-in-law of the deceased, who is pastor of the Oliver Place Baptist church at Toledo, O., arrived in the city Wednesday to arrange for the funeral which will take place probably Thursday. Mr. Richards says that his brother and his wife are now en route to Newark with Mrs. Devore's remains. Burial is to be made in the Barnes cemetery.

Mrs. Devore had many friends in Newark, who will be pained to learn of her sudden death.

The World's Richest Woman.

Freuline Bertha Krupp, eldest daughter of the dead gunmaker of Essen, Germany, has become, by the terms of her father's will, undoubtedly the richest woman in the world in her own



right. The late Herr Krupp's will provides that the gun factory shall become the property of Bertha when she attains her majority. Bankers have estimated the value of the Essen and associated manufacturing works, with subsidiary properties, at \$75,000,000.

AMUSEMENTS.

The Advocate has announced the early production here of "When Knighthood Was in Flower" but a letter from the manager of the company just received from Paris, Ky., says the company's route has since been changed. This attraction, however, will be at the Great Southern Theatre in Columbus January 2, next Saturday.

The Ducess-Queen, Princess Mary Tudor of England, who was described by the chroniclers of her time as the only good woman in the court of Henry VIII, will be introduced by Effie

BROWNSVILLE

Aunt Polly Hoskinson Widow of Louis Hoskinson, Dead at the Age of 78—Personals.

Brownsville, O., Dec. 31—Aunt Polly Hoskinson, widow of Louis Hoskinson, died on Christmas morning aged 78 years. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Buell in the M. E. church of which she had been a member for many years. Interment in the Brownsville cemetery.

C. K. Harvey from Pittsburg and a friend spent the holidays with his mother here.

Rev. David Priest of Somerset took Christmas with his parents here.

Chauncey Smith of Iowa is here to spend the winter with his father.

Mrs. Dr. Melick of Frazeyburg is spending the holidays with her parents E. Harris and wife.

Mrs. Dr. Iden and children of Hopewell are visiting the Doctor's parents here this week.

Nina Probasco who is attending school in Clinton County is at home for the holidays.

Irving Kreager and family spent last Sunday with his parents in Hopewell.

Lulu Denny of Hopewell visited with Blanche Hirst the past week.

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DANCING SCHOOL.

Miss Simonds' private dancing classes will reopen at Brennan's hall. Advance class, Friday January 2 from 8 to 10 p. m. Music furnished by Marsh's orchestra. Beginners class at 7 p. m. Children's class, Saturday, January 3, from 2 to 4 p. m. Application for admission can be made by mail Address 21 South First street. 30-4t

PAINTERS' UNION.

Regular meeting of B. of P. D. and P. of A. Local No. 365, last meeting of the year tonight. Every member must attend; business of importance. The union must vote on national matters that require a full vote; don't fail to attend. By order of Wm. Honenberger, president. Charles Watkins, Rec. Sec.

An enormous sunfish, weighing one and one-half hundredweight, was left stranded by the tide at Blakeney, Norfolk, England.

Fuerto Cabello has a fine harbor and La Quaira an open roadstead with a costly breakwater.

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A New Preparation Which Everyone Will Need Sooner or Later.

Almost everybody's digestion is disordered more or less, and the commonest thing they do for it is to take some one of the many so called blood purifiers, which in many cases are merely strong cathartics. Such things are not needed. If the organs are in a clogged condition, they need only little help and they will right themselves. Cathartics irritate the sensitive linings of the stomach and bowels and often do more harm than good.

Purging is not what is needed. The thing to do is to put the food in condition to be readily digested and assimilated. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets do this perfectly. They partly digest what is eaten and give the stomach just the help it needs. They stimulate the secretion and excretion of the digestive fluids and relieve the congested condition of the gland and membranes. They put the whole digestive system in condition to do its work. When that is done you need take no more tablets, unless you eat what does not agree with you. The take one or two tablets—give them needed help and you will have no trouble.

It's a common sense medicine and a common sense treatment and it will cure every time. Not only cure the disease but cure the cause. Go about it in a perfectly sensible and scientific way.

We have testimonials enough to fill a book, but we don't publish many of them. However—Mrs. E. M. Faith, of Byrd's Creek, Wis., says:

"I have taken all the Tablets I go of you and they have done their work well in my case. For I feel like a different person altogether. I don't doubt if I had not got them I should have been at rest by this time."

H. E. Willard, Ouslow, Ia., says "Mr. White of Canton, was telling me of your Dyspepsia Tablets curing him of Dyspepsia from which he suffered for eight years. As I am a sufferer myself I wish you to send me a package by return mail."

Phil Brooks, Detroit, Mich., says "Your Dyspepsia Cure has worked for me."

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HOSPITAL MEET monthly hospital mee on Thursday at 2:30 pital.

NOTICE—Bartende will meet in O. R. C night, January 1, at F. Walton, Rec. Sec.

KING'S DAUGHTE soever Circle of King' meet with Miss Maria na Vista street, Th January 1, at 7:30.

THE G. A. R.—Len A. R. will hold a publ conjunction with W Corps, New Year's ni is cordially invited.

THE A. P. U.—A the members of the l American Protective a ball given by the b bus last night.

DANCE—Local Uni 3. W. U. will give a an's Hall on Januar y Marsh's orchestra iven to the best lad; valtzers.

WATCH MEETING Endeavor Society of Congregational churcl ness and watch meeti one of Mr. and Mrs n Commodore street.

A. O. U. W.—The n n Rod Lodge, No. 1 have arranged to hold his evening for the m rives, and a fine pr ranged, consisting o Les. music, etc., and lipated.

MR. FEE ENTERT ee, the proprietor of wood factory in ardly entertained t od buyers at Kuste esday night. Addr by the different b atulated Mr. Fee o ear's business.

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